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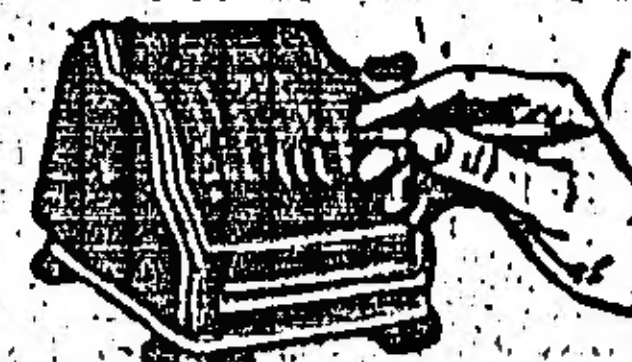
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COMMENT OF THE DAY

## UN Truce Personnel

MR Anthony Eden's hint, given in the House of Commons on Wednesday, that Britain would like to see a unified command established in Korea represents very clearly the concern which the British Government feels about recent developments in Korea. The proposition, which it has now been made clear is occupying the attention of Lord Alexander during his visit to Tokyo and the war front, is admittedly a ticklish one. There is, however, no suggestion that there should be any surrender on the part of the United States or the high command. These rights are fully vested, recognised and willingly accepted by the rest of the United Nations taking part in the Korean campaign. Nor is there any complaint to be made about the manner in which the Supreme Commander has conducted the campaign; it has been in the best traditions of successful military tactics and strategy. All troops under the UN Command have fought with great skill and splendid inspiration.

THE concern which has developed in recent months in Britain and the Commonwealth is whether those military victories are being sufficiently exploited and consolidated in other directions; whether the United Nations Command could not make fuller and beneficial use of some of his non-American colleagues in the task of negotiating an armistice. The American truce delegation, and their staff officers, have tackled a difficult task with sustained resolution and have scrupulously remained steadfast to well-founded principles upon which a fair armistice must rest. It is true, nevertheless, that whereas the Communist delegation consists of both Chinese and North Koreans, the United Nations representation is exclusively American—and it is against the United States that the Communists principally direct their hostility. It is possible, therefore, that if the UN truce team were leavened with a British or Commonwealth representative, the Communists might be more willing to break the current deadlock. In any event, no harm could result from making such a move.

# COLONY'S WATER SUPPLY INCREASED TO 8 HOURS A DAY

## Recent Rains Benefit The Reservoirs

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The new hours of supply, starting today, are from 6 a.m., to 10 a.m., and from 5 p.m., to 9 p.m. Mr L. Jackson, the Chief Waterworks Engineer, warned today that the increased water supply does not mean there is any less need for every possible economy being practised in the use of water.

## Mr Eden's Pledge

London, June 12. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden said tonight Britain is determined that Malaya should not fall under the domination of an alien aggressor.

He made the remark in a speech at the Lord Mayor's banquet for the Diplomatic Corps at Mansion House.

Mr Eden said many British colonies are already far advanced along the road to independence and self-government.

Britain must see that conditions are created in which this progress can be successfully carried out, he said. "Above all, we have to ensure their proper defence." Mr Eden continued "It would be a dreadful betrayal of our responsibilities if the people of Malaya, for example, were to fall under the domination of an alien aggressor. It would be a tragedy for the whole free world, we are determined that it shall not happen."—Associated Press.

This time last year he pointed out, the Colony's reservoirs were all overflowing, but at the moment they are still only 34 per cent full.

The recent storm has so far added about 470 million gallons to the storage, which is about 15 days supply on an eight hour daily basis.

The advent of the hot weather has naturally resulted in people requiring more water and as it was found impossible to distribute any more within the five hours supply periods, the hours have been gradually extended over the past week until there is now a full eight hours supply in all districts.

Due to the lateness of the rains, Mr Jackson said it is still too early to open up to the limit of the filtration capacity.

But the situation is under daily review and the hours will be further extended if conditions are considered favourable" he added.

The Royal Observatory reported that between midnight and 11 o'clock this morning, a further 2.28 inches of rain had been recorded. This brings the total over the last two and a half days to more than six inches.

## Truman Not To Interfere

Washington, June 12. President Truman said today that he was leaving it entirely to the army to decide whether General MacArthur was breaking army regulations in agreeing to be the keynote speaker at the Republican Party's National Convention next month.

When correspondents at the President's weekly press conference said that under the Constitution, the President was Commander-in-Chief of the armed services and, therefore, had some responsibility in the controversy about General MacArthur's action, Mr Truman replied he was not exercising his authority in this case.

The Army said earlier this week it was not considering any action though its regulations forbid officers from engaging in political convention activities. Mr Truman gave a quick "No Comment" some 20 times when asked to discuss subjects including the Korean situation, the steel strike and immigration legislation.

He also declined to comment on a report that the American Command was ready to use atomic bombs as tactical weapons if the Communists attempted an all-out offensive in the Korean war.—Reuter.

## Diplomat Loses Secret Papers

Kassel, June 12. The German press agency, DWA, reported today that a German officer, Major Chinlan-Kunparr, had lost his brief case containing secret documents entrusted to him by his Government. The brief case disappeared between Bad Hersfeld in Hesse and Hanover.—France-Press.

## Three Gunmen Take Over A New York Hotel

New York, June 12. Three gunmen took over a New York hotel for three hours early today and systematically robbed at least 25 guests entering or preparing to leave. The trio entered the Hotel Emerson at 4 a.m., imprisoned the night manager and the lift operator in a room and went to work. One took over the telephone switchboard, another operated the lift, while the third man ran the reception desk. Arriving and departing guests were robbed methodically of cash and jewellery, then pushed into the room with the imprisoned hotel staff. At 7 a.m. the robbers left. Detectives said later that the haul included more than \$500 in cash and \$2,500 in jewellery, including \$2,000 worth of uncut diamonds taken from a jewellery salesman. The man at the switchboard was a model telephone operator, the police said, carefully following the schedule of calls to awaken guests at specified times.—Reuter.

## Kremlin Must Accept Big 3 Conditions For Four-Power Talks

Washington, June 12. The Secretary of State, Mr Dean Acheson, met the British and French envoys today and diplomatic sources said they agreed to a meeting with Russia on Germany only if the Kremlin accepted conditions guaranteeing success.

Mr Acheson called the Ambassadors to the State Department to express the firm belief that early Big Four talks on possible German unification would be futile and dangerous to Western unity.

United States officials said Mr Acheson already had dispatched extraordinary messages to the British and French Foreign Offices which made it plain that the United States was dead set against early Big Four talks until the Soviet gives firm guarantees that negotiations will be profitable. Russia asked for such a meeting. The French are pressing for it and the British favour it with some reservations.

Mr Acheson first met the French Ambassador, M. Henri Bonnet, and conferred with him for 30 minutes, then conferred with the British Ambassador, Sir Oliver Franks, for an hour. BASICALLY AGREED

Diplomatic sources reported that there was no basic disagreement between the three countries on the proposed meeting which presumably would see discussion of East-West differences on Germany.

Sources here said the three diplomats agreed on procedures to be followed when the Allies answer Moscow's note of May 25 on Germany. United States officials said the note evaded every proposal the West made to solve the German problem.

Authoritative sources here said none of the three Western Powers was willing to agree to a meeting on German unification merely on the basis of the general Russian proposal to "talk" about the problem. They were said to want more specific proposals with minor details settled before the meeting.—United Press.

## New Job For Panyushkin Announced

London, June 12. Radio Moscow said tonight that Mr Alexander Panyushkin, recent Soviet Ambassador to the United States, had been named Russian envoy to Communist China.

Mr Panyushkin, recalled to Moscow last week, will be succeeded in Washington by Mr. George Zaitsev, former Ambassador to Britain.

In announcing the new appointment, Radio Moscow quoted a Tass news agency dispatch which said only: "Moscow has just announced Panyushkin's appointment as Soviet envoy to Communist China."

## E. German Govt Issues New Decree

Berlin, June 12. East Germany today published a new security decree which renders people illegally crossing the border liable to an immediate sentence of two years' imprisonment and a fine of 2,000 East marks. It went into force four days ago.

It applies to people crossing the West Berlin perimeter as well as those who violate the East German border with West Germany and the East German Baltic coastline.

The decree, issued by the Vice-Premier, Herr Ulbricht, Politburo chief, on behalf of the ailing Prime Minister, Herr Grotewohl, instructs security forces to enforce their general watch against "diversionists, spies and terrorists."

Recently, thousands of Germans have fled into West Germany following Eastern security measures to seal off the Eastern Zone's 18,000,000 inhabitants from all Western influences.

The decree had the effect of extending penalties for illegally crossing the East-West German frontier to cover border violations around the West Berlin perimeter.—Reuter.

## Ferry Capsizes: 35 Missing

Calcutta, June 12. Thirty-five persons, mostly women labourers, are missing and are believed to have drowned after a ferry boat carrying 80 passengers was yesterday hit by a monsoon and capsized in the Ganges River 20 miles east of Bhagalpur, reports reaching here said today.

The reports added that 10 bodies had been recovered and that five persons were rescued.—United Press.

## TWINS GAOLED

London, June 12. Identical twins, David Joshua Clark and Arthur James Clark, 27, who joined the army together, deserted together and committed crimes together, were today sent to 10 months' gaol together. They were found guilty of assaulting a woman.—Reuter.

Today's weather: Moderate occasionally fresh SE winds. Weather overcast with periods of rain, heavy at times.

## Labour Party's Declaration On Foreign Policy

London, June 12. The British Labour Party today published a declaration of foreign policy.

It declared that "the future of Asia depends above all on the leadership provided by the Indian sub-continent."

It declared also for rapid progress towards self-government in Malaya and for the introduction of the People's Government of China into the United Nations.

Affirming that the Peking Government was the effective Government of China and should be on the United Nations, the policy declaration said.

"It is clearly a travesty that the delegate from the rump regime of Chiang Kai-shek should speak in the United Nations in the name of the Chinese people who have rejected him, and the Labour Party believes that there can be no lasting political settlement in the Far East, which is not based on the recognition that the Peking Government is the effective Government of China, and as such, should represent that country in the United Nations."

The policy statement will be submitted to and considered by the Party's annual conference in September this year.

### SUPPORTS NATO

The declaration makes these points:

1. The Party strongly supports the North Atlantic Treaty, and says Britain and other nations must "have sufficient military strength to fulfil their international obligations under the United Nations. It expresses a hope that the Soviet Union may soon be ready to negotiate a settlement and that an international agreement would then be achieved.

2. Britain must put the Commonwealth before all other regional groupings.

3. She cannot join a European federation or a European customs union.

4. The Labour Party supports the desire of the German people for a united Germany and believes that this can only be achieved by free elections throughout Germany on the basis of a four-power agreement.

The statement strongly urges the construction of an international system of collective security which would protect all peoples from the threat of aggression by their neighbours.

The policy declaration also quoted recent statements by the Labour Party's National Executive insisting that free elections should be held in Western Germany before the Adenauer Government undertakes any commitments for a German contribution to the European Defence Community.

5.—Japan must be free from restrictions by outside forces on her association with other nations. These would be disastrous to peace in the Far East and to democracy in Japan.

6. The future of Asia depends above all on the leadership provided by the Indian sub-continent. The Party fervently trusts that the Governments of India and Pakistan may settle their outstanding differences and work in harmony for the benefit of their peoples and the world as a whole.

7. The effort to stamp out terrorism in Malaya will not be successful until all the Malayan peoples are actively behind it. For this reason, economic and social advancements and rapid progress towards self-government are urgently necessary.

### MIDDLE EAST

8.—The Labour Party supports proposals for a defence pact in which the Middle East countries would join as equals with Britain and her allies. Economic measures against poverty are as necessary to Middle East defence as arms.

The Labour Party should help the Middle East to raise living standards by technical assistance and capital investment.

9.—Lasting friendship between Britain and the peoples of Africa depends on attaining full co-operation between all races to achieve a genuine democratic government and economic stability. Such co-operation must ensure the progressive recognition of equal social, economic, industrial and political rights.

## 48 Hours Of Earth Tremors

Thousands Flee Their Homes

Buenos Aires, June 12. Thousands of families are camping in the open or sheltering in military tents in the Andean province of San Juan following a 48-hour wave of earth tremors.

These reached a new peak today, when violent shocks this afternoon battered the southern tip of San Juan province and neighbouring Mendoza.

At least four people were killed and a score injured in Mendoza, according to first reports.

Some villages, badly hit during the first shock, have been practically destroyed by subsequent ones.

At San Juan, where the first casualty list included one dead and 42 injured, a number of public buildings were damaged, including the Town Hall, Provincial Bank and the Federal Police Headquarters.

The affected zone is under a cold spell, which brought today's temperature over most of the zone to well below freezing point.

Communications between San Juan city and neighbouring areas with Buenos Aires were cut by one of the tremors.

The area has been under an earthquake alarm since Tuesday, when severe tremors brought down ruins left by the disastrous 1944 earthquake, which destroyed San Juan city, killing many thousand people.—Reuter.

## Hair-Raising Experience

New York, June 12. A window cleaner, one book of his safety belt torn loose, dangled 11 storeys above New York's Madison Avenue for five minutes today.

His screams attracted a pedestrian far below who called the Fire Department.

But before the firemen arrived he was pulled back to safety by three porters in the building.—Reuter.

## Child Slays Mother

Cairo, June 12. A six-year-old Egyptian boy, taking a revolver for a toy, killed his mother today, police said.

Hassan Bessoumi found the weapon in his father's drawer. He fired at his mother, who was preparing a meal. She dropped dead.—Reuter.

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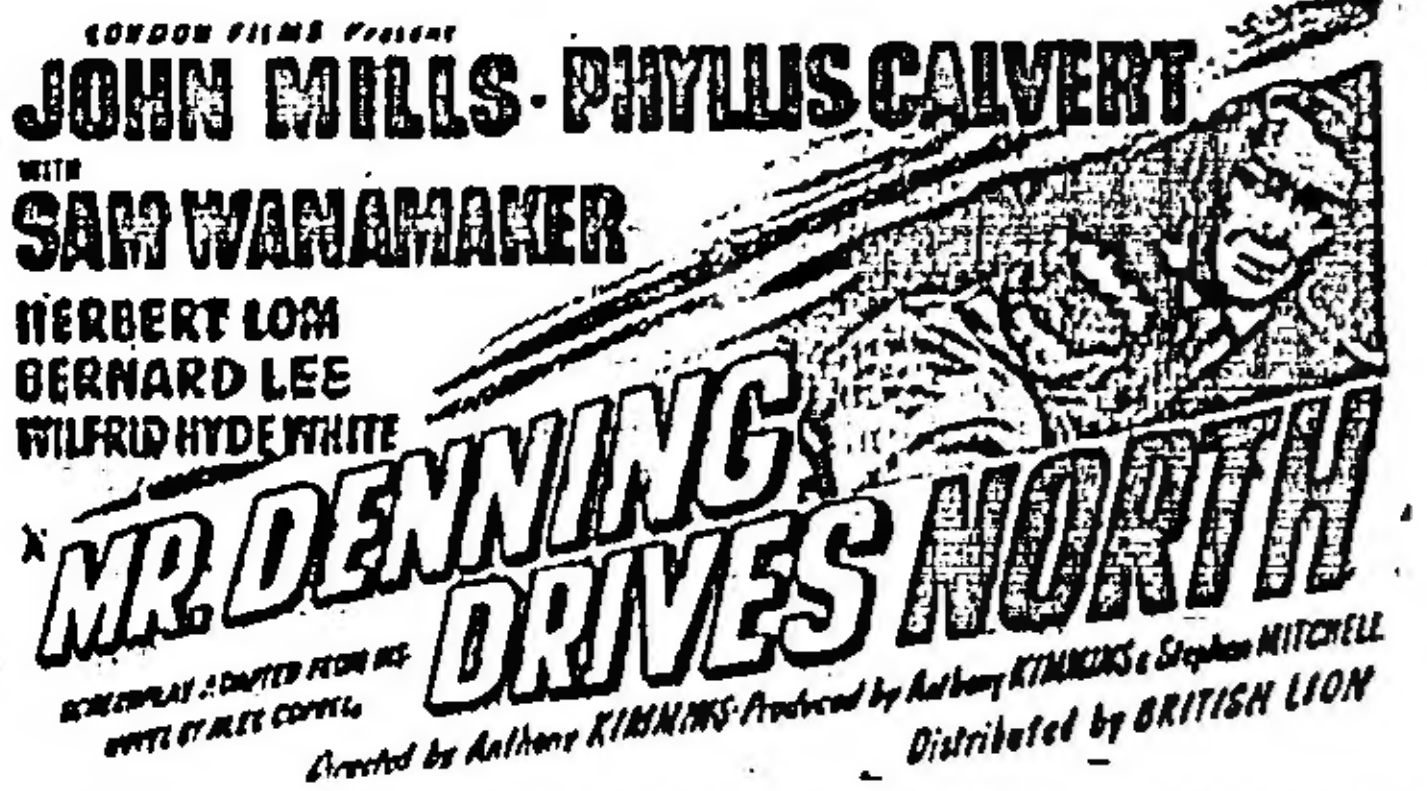
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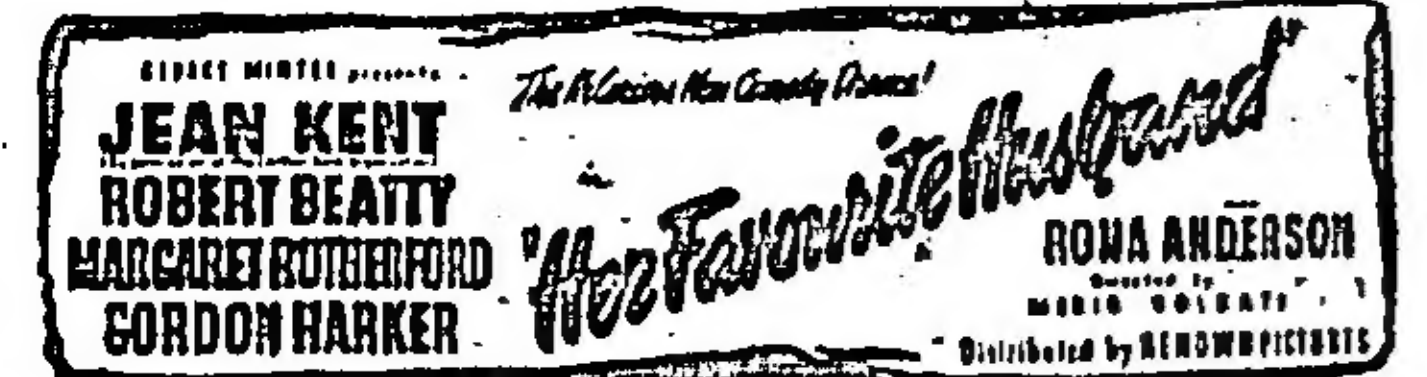


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## Pledge By Exiles To Work For Freedom

Williamsburg, Va., June 12.  
Exiled leaders from ten Communist countries today signed a "Williamsburg Declaration of 1952" vowing that, on the liberation of their nations, tyrannies would be swept away and human rights restored.

In the historic Virginia Hall of Burgesses, men from Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Rumania and Yugoslavia vowed on the 176th anniversary of the signing of the Virginia Bill of Rights to adhere to its basic principles.

(This was the original draft, on which the American Bill of Rights was based, covering jury trial, freedom of Press and religion, franchise and derivation of all authority from the people.)

They pledged themselves to support the right to public trials, protection from suspension or enactment of laws without the consent of the governed, the rights of life, liberty and property, and the guarantee that governments are subject to recall.

Among the leaders were M. Grigore Gafencu, former Rumanian Foreign Minister, Dr. Mihail Krek, former Vice-Premier of Yugoslavia, Dr. Balu Varga, former President of the Hungarian Parliament, and Dr. Adolf Blodnicks, former Prime Minister of the Republic of Latvia.

"We pledge," their declaration said, "that tyranny over the mind of man shall be abolished from our countries—tyranny of any minority clique over the majority or tyranny of the majority over the minority."

## Japanese Envoy At White House

Washington, June 12.  
The new Japanese Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Eiichi Arai, was received at the White House by President Truman to whom he presented his official letters of credence.

Mr. Arai stated that no political conversation had taken place with President Truman who had wished happiness, success and peaceful prosperity both to the Ambassador and to the Japanese people.—France-Press.

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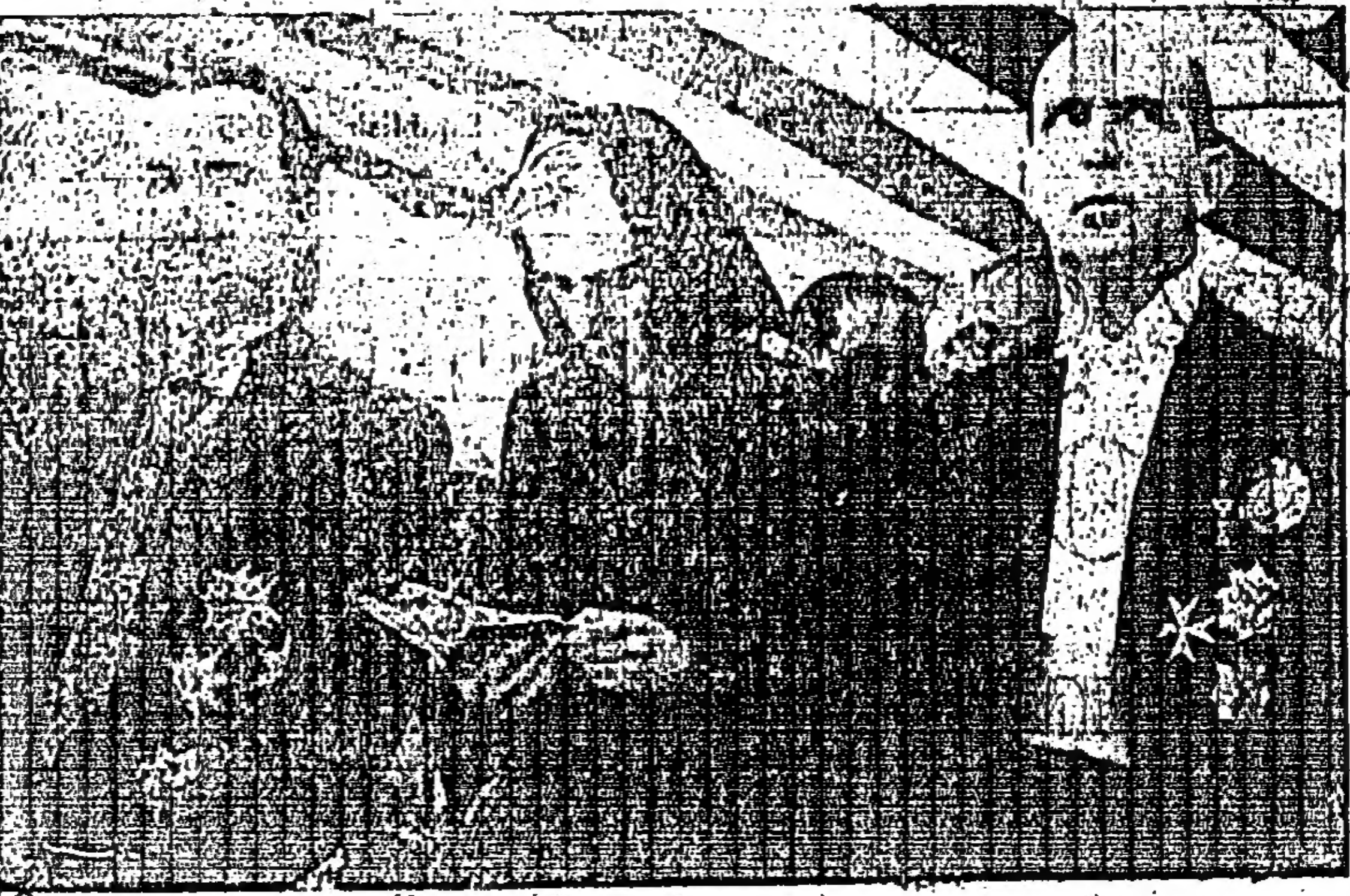
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## Barcelona Eucharistic Conference



Among the well-known personalities in Barcelona for the 35th Eucharistic Congress, which was opened by the Papal Legate, Cardinal Federico Tedeschini, were Archbishop Otto of Austria and his wife, the former Princess of Sax-Meiningen, and ex-King Umberto of Italy (right).—Express Photo.

## LORD READING ON SUCCESS OF COLOMBO PLAN

London, June 12.  
The Under-Secretary of State at the Foreign Office, Lord Reading, said today that the Asian nations were neither pessimistic nor optimistic towards the Colombo Plan.

Addressing a meeting of the Royal Engineering Society, Lord Reading said that the Karachi Conference earlier this year had shown that goodwill was abundantly present.

He had been surprised at the speed with which the Karachi suggestions had been adopted and complimented the Pakistani Government on the preparations ensuring the conference taking place under favourable circumstances.

## Amphibious Assault On Malta

Malta, June 12.  
An amphibious assault is expected tonight on this island fortress, target of the "Blue" forces in the five-nation combined Mediterranean exercise "Beehive II."

The "Blue" forces—the American Sixth Fleet and British submarines—are closing in on the island and British and Italian naval units of the opposing "Red" forces are standing by to repulse them with land-based fighter cover.

Surface actions are expected tonight.

The "Blue" forces, moving in three groups to a point 123 miles east of Malta, have intensified their air attacks on Malta itself.

Both sides today reported successes. The "Red" forces claimed damage to three American ships, and a Greek submarine of the "Red" fleet reported torpedoing a carrier of the "Blue" forces.

"Blue" forces claim to have destroyed aircraft based on Malta and Bizerta.—Reuter.

## MYSTERY MAN

Birmingham, June 12.  
The police think that someone in Leeds and Bradford districts may be able to identify a man who walked into a Birmingham police station last night suffering from loss of memory.

He had tattoo marks all over his arms and chest, and they include the Prince of Wales feathers with the words "Iraq, India, West Yorks Regiment, No. 6 13234", a butterfly, peacock and a snake, and a Royal coat of arms.

He is five feet nine inches tall, and between 40 and 50 years of age.—Reuter.

## Paris Police Chief Makes Security Move

Paris, June 12.  
The Paris Police Chief, Jean Baylot, has suspended 22 members of the Paris police and transferred about 50 others to new posts "in the interests of security," a spokesman at police headquarters said tonight.

Unconfirmed reports said M. Baylot took the measure after examination of the documents seized during recent raids on the Communist Party headquarters in Paris.

Communists were known to have infiltrated into the Paris police after the war but most were believed to have been dismissed by 1948 after a security check. Police headquarters declined to give further details on the new security measures.—Reuter.

## SWEDEN'S GREATEST SPY CASE

Stockholm, June 12.  
The Government today published its charges against seven alleged Communist spies who will go on trial on Monday in Sweden's greatest spy case.

The report to the Court from the District Attorney, Werner Ryhninger, still partly secret, alleged that the spy ring operated in Sweden from 1941 to 1951 to gather strategic information for the Russians.

It also charged that the spy ring was preparing for sabotage in the case of war.

Ryhninger has asked for sentences of life imprisonment for all the Red leaders—Fritiof Enbom, 33-year-old former newspaperman, and two others.

Other penalties asked for ranged from two to six years' imprisonment.—United Press.

## New Radio Services

Canberra, June 12.  
Australia's Postmaster-General, Mr. H. L. Anthony, announced today that important additions had been made to communications with Britain.

Now services had also been provided for the Indian Ocean air route soon to be opened between Australia and South Africa.

There had been a substantial extension and reorganization of radio communication facilities at Perth to provide an additional relay in the Australia-Britain radio telegraph service.

A high frequency radio communication service with ships was begun on June 9.—Reuter.

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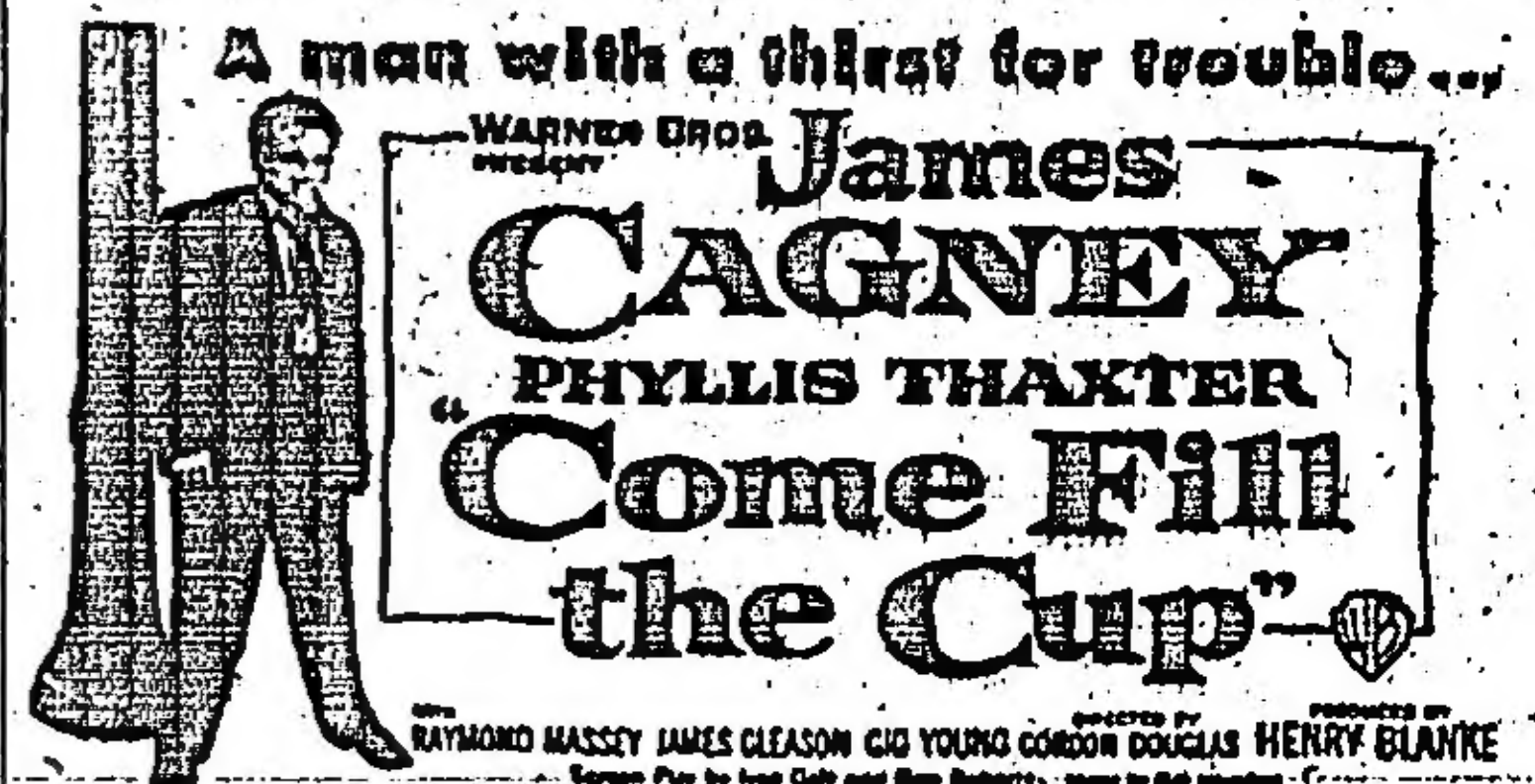
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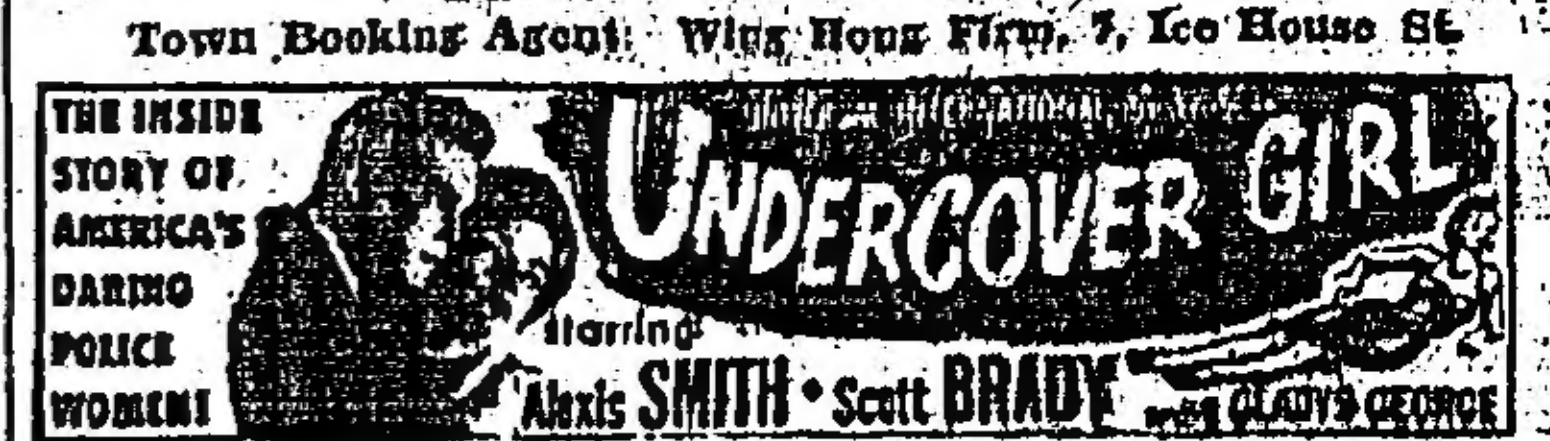
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## 40th Wedding Anniversary



President and Mrs. Auriol of France celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary and pose, with their two grandsons, for this charming anniversary picture in the grounds of their private residence at Muret.—Express Photo.

# Pleven's Report To Assembly On French Defences: Increases Necessary 12 Divisions By End Of Year

Paris, June 12.

The Defence Minister, M. Rene Pleven, said today that the collective force needed to defend Europe would have to be larger than would be attained this year.

France would have to take a larger part in increasing the force, he declared.

Speaking in the National Assembly's debate on the military budget, M. Pleven said that at the end of this year France would have:

- 1.—810,000 soldiers under arms, equal to 12 divisions.
- 2.—50,000 airmen, equal to 27 squadrons, an increase of 70 per cent.
- 3.—13,500 sailors, an increase of 24 per cent.

The number of soldiers was still markedly inferior to the number under arms in France and North Africa in 1938 because of the war in Indo-China. Naval tonnage would be maintained at 350,000 tons but the naval air arm had been considerably increased.

A total of 50,000 tons of ships was in the course of construction or overhaul, to which must be added the 1952 building programme of 25,000 tons.

## RADAR NETWORK

The 20 airfields already equipped permitted the deployment of 1,000 more planes.

The radar network was in a position to function from the Channel to Switzerland—here, nothing existed two years ago.

M. Pleven described the deficiencies in the armed forces as:

- 1.—Serious deficiencies in certain types of army vehicles and material.
- 2.—The air arm would be completely out of date by the end of the year, and would require a complete re-equipment.
- 3.—The navy was only renewing its tonnage, which was ageing, at a slow rate which continued to make deliveries from abroad necessary.

## PROGRESS MADE

France had a long way to go, but nobody could deny the progress made, M. Pleven declared. The Government did not envisage prolonging compulsory military service beyond 18 months this year, and whether it did so in the future depended on the result of various measures including the recruitment of women for the army and the possibility of replacing French soldiers in Indo-China by the new Vietnam Army.

M. Pleven said, "The French effective that will be needed for the ultimate objective have been calculated."

"For Europe and North Africa they should be established around a total figure slightly inferior to that we kept under arms in 1938 in Europe and North Africa,"—Reuter.

## FIVE NEW DIVISIONS

Indo-China was absorbing 25 per cent of France's armed forces, M. Pleven asserted. Five new army divisions would be set on foot and two others created from October 1.

Referring to American military aid, M. Pleven declared that France had already received 350,000 tons in weight and one million tons in volume, apart from what had been sent direct to Indo-China. The navy had obtained 71,000 tons.

The Minister added: "France hopes for other forms of aid from the United States."

The United States decision to make offshore purchases marked an important stage in the North Atlantic military co-operation.

He concluded: "To expect a reduction in our military effort during the next two or three years would mean to fall to the rear of the world's leading European nations, and this is not the position we wish to take."

A piece of timber from the wreck will be sent to Chatham where the Government was built more than 200 years ago, for examination by experts.

Diver Paul Benebe found the stern of a ship about 450 yards from where "Lucky" Tom Devonshire found several ships' cannon two months ago.

The divers were operating from the treasure-hunting ship St. Botolph, Skipper John Metcalf, a former naval lieutenant and salvage expert, went down to confirm Benebe's report.

He said the stern was about 40 feet long and about 20 feet wide. Apart from cannon balls, he said, he found three anchors.

RUSSIAN OFFER TO CEYLON  
Colombo, June 12.  
Soviet Russia has offered to supply Ceylon with sulphur, urgently needed in fighting the oilseed rubber disease, but the Ceylon Government and the planters are reluctant to accept the offer.

The Government, meanwhile, is trying to obtain supplies from Belgium, Spain and Portugal. For America, Ceylon's main source of sulphur, has stopped all supplies as a reprisal for Ceylon shipping big quantities of rubber to Communist China.

## Peron Says He Refused Loan Offer

Buenos Aires, June 12.

President Juan Peron told reporters today that he had refused a loan of \$300,000,000 from financial groups because the loan "could produce sacrifices and tears and bring about poverty."

President Peron added: "We are in the Antarctic and the financial groups consist of people who live in the Arctic which is threatened with another war."

"We do not know how long that war will last, and that is why these groups are trying to invest their capital in safe countries."

President Peron said that 1950 would be the crucial year for the Argentine economy and that by then she would have all the necessary requirements to build up a steel industry.

Coal reserves in the Turco River Valley totalled 300,000 tons, which would supply Argentina's need for 300 years.

He added that new oil wells in Salta province will produce 350,000 litres of petrol per day so that Argentina's petrol problem was on the way to being solved.—France-Press.

The platoon was "ambushed" and Corporal Smith was killed, picked up with a bullet wound in the face. He was dead on arrival at Exeter Hospital.—Reuter.

## CORPORAL'S DEATH

London, June 12.

The military court of inquiry into the death of Corporal Hubert Smith, 24, of the Royal Hampshire Regiment, who was shot during army manoeuvres in the Exmouth area on May 27, has ended.

The court was reconvened on Tuesday and has been taking evidence from soldiers and officers taking part in the manoeuvres.

The court proceedings were private and its findings will not be published, but they may be referred to the civil authorities if any action is thought to be necessary.

Corporal Smith lived at Avenue Road, Southampton. He was taking part in the West Essex Brigade exercise and was in the training area with his platoon.

The platoon was "ambushed" and Corporal Smith was killed, picked up with a bullet wound in the face. He was dead on arrival at Exeter Hospital.—Reuter.

## Student's Luck

Copenhagen, June 12.

A young Danish woman who lent a student 40 ore (about 3½d) so that he could send in a football pool coupon, has just received back 1,000 kroner (250) as part of the prize he won with it.

The young woman met the student when he was driving a car which she stopped to ask for a lift in the country.—Reuter.

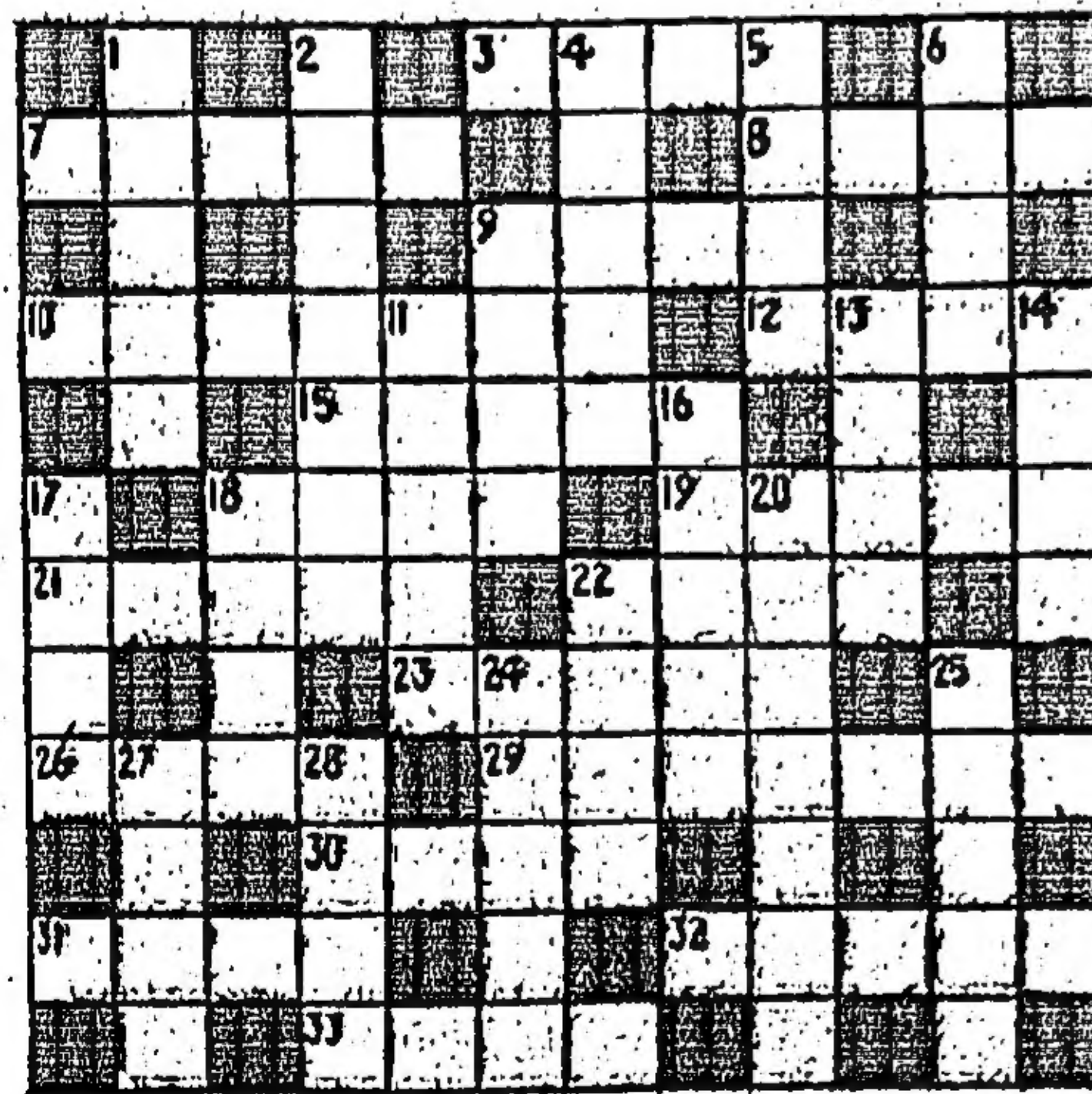
## Warning By Australia

Geneva, June 12.

Australia will cut immigration unless the decline in agricultural production stops, Mr. Lewis Burnie, Australian employers' delegate, told the International Labour Conference here today.

"The output and export of primary products has declined to an alarming extent, and unless corrected will have a most disturbing influence on the balance of our economy," he said.—Reuter.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



## ACROSS:

- 3 Precious metal (4).
- 7 Alarm (5).
- 9 Tune (4).
- 10 Sledge (4).
- 11 Cliff (7).
- 12 Clever (4).
- 13 Confidence (5).
- 14 Droop (4).
- 15 Cattle feed (5).
- 21 Lions (5).
- 22 Talk wildly (4).
- 23 Get away from (5).
- 24 Dyes (4).
- 25 Repeat (7).
- 30 Attitude (4).
- 31 Nuff (4).
- 32 Inlet (5).
- 33 Tux (4).

## DOWN:

- 1 Twenty (5).
- 2 Hail (7).
- 4 Does not include (3).
- 5 Facts (4).
- 6 Bank (4).
- 8 Cows (4).
- 11 Take out (5).
- 13 Rib, perhaps (4).
- 14 Reverberation (4).
- 16 Commence (5).
- 17 Ledge (4).
- 18 Run away (4).
- 20 Mean (7).
- 22 Assist (4).
- 24 Go to see (5).
- 25 Scatter (5).
- 27 Way out (4).
- 28 Hurried (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD: Across: 1. Candid, 7. Mail, 9. Swift, 10. Tribe, 11. Note, 13. Reticent, 14. New, 15. Bear, 16. Resilience, 22. Lira, 24. Radar, 25. Percy, 26. No, 27. Reticent, 28. Down: 1. Arid, 2. Diner, 3. Defect, 4. Eminence, 5. Dist, 6. Abuse, 12. Envy, 13. Rebel, 14. Tormentor, 17. Arras, 18. Mirror, 20. Impair, 21. Nerve, 22. Iron.

## Four Grooms, One Bride

Jubbilepore, June 12.

Four bridegrooms arrived at Jubbilepore, a village near here, to marry the same girl.

The 12-year-old girl's mother and uncle had arranged the marriage with each of the men after collecting money from them.

When they arrived for the ceremony the grooms found the one girl waiting but no sign of the uncle or mother.—Reuter.

## Boy Scouts "Tools Of Bourgeoisie"

PRAGUE COURT'S  
VERDICT

Vienna, June 12.

Communist Prague's State Court, passing sentences of up to 15 years imprisonment on ten former Boy Scout leaders, has ruled: "The Scout Movement, founded by the English General Baden-Powell, is one of the tools of the ruling bourgeoisie."

"With false slogans about patriotism and the brotherhood of mankind, Scoutism misleads the thoughts of young people and, in fact, by stressing Anglo-Saxon culture and way of life, it deprives them of national pride."

The State Court was in session for two days, dealing with what it described as "a public trial of the leading anti-State group directed by former leaders of the Scout movement who speculated on the return of a capitalist order and organised destructive anti-State acts of former Scout functionaries."

The chief accused, Dr. Karel Prucha, was the former Secretary-General of Scout Movement and editor of the Scout Review. He was sentenced to 15 years.

Five of his companions, got from 10 to 12 years imprisonment.

Four other leading Scouts were given sentences ranging from six months to six years. Their property was confiscated.

Evidence was offered in court to prove that the accused were concerned with preparing administrative measures for renewing full activities of the once flourishing Scout movement in the event of a change of regime.—London Express Service.

## Truman Was Surprised

Washington, June 12.

President Truman said his Press conference today that he had no knowledge that the Soviet Ambassador designate to the United States, M. Gerasimov, was connected with the Katyn Forest murders during the last war when the Russians were alleged to have killed a large number of Polish officers.

A journalist had asked why the United States agreed to have M. Zarinin as Ambassador before an inquiry to find out whether he had been concerned.

The President seemed surprised at the question and added that it was usual for one power to agree to the appointment of an ambassador proposed by another power.—France-Press.

# CANADA BUILDING A NEW-TYPE GUIDED MISSILE

Ottawa, June 12.

Canada is building a new-type guided missile, Dr. O. M. Solandt, Director of the Defence Research Board, has disclosed.

Canada's top scientist added it was an "air to air" missile—a variety launched from the air against attacking bombers—and part of secret defence preparations against possible new unorthodox weapons.

The missile is being developed at the Canadian armament research and development establishment at Valcartier near Quebec. Also being perfected are new types of respirators and protective clothing to guard soldiers and civilians against atomic radiation and chemical attack.

He gave no details of the new guided missile which is on the top secret lists.

Dr. Solandt said 500 scientists are employed full-time on guided missile research at Valcartier. Tests are being carried out regularly there and next year will be transferred to a new \$10,000,000 rocket range in western Canada 100 miles due north of the Alberta-Saskatchewan border town of Lloydminster.

The research findings are being shared with Britain and the United States.

Canada has been in the guided missile field only one and a half years. Before that Canadian scientists were sent to British and United States guided missile experimental stations to study progress there.

They are the men who staff the Valcartier research development establishment in Quebec.

## CHEMICAL WARFARE

Dr. Solandt said "There is a strong possibility that not only atomic but biological and chemical weapons will be used in another war, and Canada is preparing to meet such an attack and, if necessary, retaliate."

He said one great obstacle in the effort to prepare for any eventualities is the lack of agreement on standardisation among the Western Powers.

"Canada has a vital interest in standardisation. We would like to see the United States and Britain using identical weapons."

"Our forces then would be spared the recurrent dilemma presented by rival weapons, and we could use our industrial resources to greater advantage in support, not only of our services, but those of our allies."

## HK Companies

## Buy S'pore Factory Sites

Singapore, June 12.

The first yarn-spinning factory in Singapore is to be built on the Colonial Development Corporation's 53-acre factory estate site in Bukit Timah.

The factory will be the first in the Corporation's \$177,000 plan to aid the Colony's industrial expansion.

Another factory will also be built on the same ground, to produce 14 tons of refined edible oil daily.

Sites of two acres each have also been sold to a local company and a company registered in Hongkong.

A British company in Hongkong has taken an option on an eight-acre site.

The Corporation is advancing money for buying sites on the estate and for the building of factories which, however, must be approved by it.—Reuter.

## Planning To Double Vietnam's Forces

FRENCH REQUEST  
FOR U.S. AID

Washington, June 12.

Usually reliable sources said today that M. Jean Letourneau, the French Minister of Associated States, is expected to ask for enough arms to double the size of the Vietnamese forces.

M. Letourneau is due here tomorrow night from New York. The sources expect him to ask for arms to double the present four Vietnamese divisions together with auxiliary services as soon as possible.

Only one Vietnamese division is reported to be fully equipped while the three others still require some ordnance, engineering and other equipment.

The goal, the sources added, is to have about 150,000 Vietnamese troops.

M. Letourneau, they explained, will probably point out that a quickening of the present timetable for the supplying of arms to the Vietnamese forces is necessary firstly to help annihilate the Communist Vietnamese forces and, secondly, to create the added divisions needed to replace French manpower for the proposed European Army.—United Press.

## JEEP AMBUSHED

Salgon, June 12.

Vietminh forces ambushed a Vietnamese army jeep yesterday 78 miles northwest of Salgon and killed two Vietnamese soldiers, a French Army communiqué announced today.

The communiqué spoke of a recent increase in guerrilla activity.

In operations in Tonkin yesterday, 20 Vietminh were killed, the communiqué reported.—Reuter.

B-50s' FLIGHT  
OVER LONDON

London, June 12.

West Londoners today saw a large flight of United States bombers dip in salute to the United States Air Force Headquarters at Dulles, Middlesex.

The flight consisted of about 50 B-50s of the 509 Bombardment Wing of the 7th Air Division. The planes were practising formation flying and had received permission to dip down 1,500 feet as they passed over Headquarters.—Reuter.

## Meeting Of Assembly On Tunisia?

United Nations, June 12.

Members of the Arab-Asian-African group decided today to call for a special session of the General Assembly on Tunisia and submitted a letter to that effect to their respective governments.

The group met in the offices of the Indonesian delegation. Official spokesmen said afterwards that there was no commitment to make on the two-and-a-half hour session.

United Nations informed sources said the group decided to call for an Assembly regarding loss of whether they could obtain the required 31 votes for such action.

The Security Council has refused to debate the Franco-Tunisian dispute.

## Canada Building Sabre Jets

Ottawa, June 12.

More than 350 F86E Sabre jet fighters are being built by Canadian Ltd. in Montreal for the Royal Air Force. This is part of a larger order for upwards of 500 Sabre Jets for R.A.F. defence.

Canada is also building Sabre Jets for use by the United States air forces in Korea. This contract has been given top priority in order to assist the Americans to maintain their fighter aircraft supply.

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The group will next meet on June 13, when the text of the letter to the Secretary-General, Mr. Trygve Lie, calling for the session, is expected to be issued.—Reuter.

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## 'ATOM TRAITORS' STIR AUSTRALIA

By Peter Duffield

Melbourne. Today she finds herself:  
1—About to play host for the first atom test in Commonwealth history;  
2—Achieving senior international status as an artillery range for rockets;  
3—Becoming a uranium producer of world rank.

With these new responsibilities comes a new necessity for being responsible within herself.

What is the position of the Australian Government—faced with these new international cares—today?

What can the Australian Government do—faced with a Communist public servant in office?

The position is fascinating and unique. In September last year the Australian Government, under Prime Minister Menzies, became the first Government in the world to ask their people to take part in a compulsory national quiz.

What is the importance of the leakage—there is nothing essentially secret about it—but there is a small and extremely dangerous and traitorous Communist core which exists somewhere in the Commonwealth public service.

The Government, said Casey, were doing their best to uncover the nest.

But the storm is also symptomatic of some significant, growing pains now suffered by the British Commonwealth's youngest white member.

Australia—formerly the country "down under," the country of prodigious spaces, prodigious sheep, prodigious swearwords, prodigious cricketers—has within the past few months garnered some dubious global fame.

At present the Commonwealth can summarily dismiss a public servant only if he acts in a

manly, detrimental to defence and public safety.

It is no secret that Mr Menzies and most of his Ministers believe that the public service should not employ Communists.

#### Satisfactory

OTHER Parliamentarians believe that the present system operated by the Public Service Board is satisfactory. This works as follows:

A—Police and sometimes Commonwealth security services investigate applicants.

B—Investigators also periodically check existing employees, especially those with extreme political views and affiliations.

C—On the investigators' recommendation the Public Service Board frequently move public servants to less responsible posts.

An echo of this system was heard in Australia when a woman who had long been in a position of trust as a Federal public servant (a confidential secretary in the Defence Department) was reported as "likely to leave" after security officers told the Federal Government that "immediate action" should be taken in her case.

It is likely that Colonel C.C.F. Spry, DSO, the 42-year-old Australian opposite of Sir Percy Sillitoe, of M.I.5, now in charge of Commonwealth security services, is preparing a new document on the public service at Canberra for the boss to whom he reports exclusively—Mr Menzies.

Then Colonel Spry—who comes from an English family and was a full colonel at the age of 32—may return to a job much more to his liking: the atom test at Monte Bello Islands.

From R. M. MacCOLL and NEWELL ROGERS

## MYSTERY CADET DID NOT ANSWER THE ROLL

New York. JUNE 4 was graduation day at West Point, America's Sandhurst, for 529 cadets. But Cadet 530, Dick Cox, a model student, did not answer the final roll call of his class.

That is because he answered a phone call to his barracks on the night of January 18, 1950.

A man named George invited him to dinner at an hotel on the edge of the academy grounds.

DICK set out on the 20-minute walk to the hotel. He has not been seen since.

Afterwards fellow cadets remembered curious stories he told about George—they were pals in the U.S. Occupation Army in Germany before Dick was sent up to West Point. George was a wartime U.S. Commando. He boasted of torturing German prisoners, and of strangling his German sweetheart.

FOR two years the Army's C.I.D., G men, Governments, and Scotland Yard have hunted Dick and George.

The hunt has widened to Europe and to North and South America, even to Korea, where some of today's graduates will soon arrive at the battlefield.

Secret agents are still working on the greatest mystery in West Point's 150 years' history.

A REPORTER called a British Government official and asked:

"Is it true a knight is giving a birthday party in New York and the Queen will be there?"

Well, not quite. To celebrate the Queen's birthday Sir Gwendolyn and Lady Jebb are giving a garden party on Thursday, and 700 UNO diplomats and New Yorkers have accepted invitations. Among them, Mr and Mrs Jacob Malik, of Russia.

NOW the Infernal Reds get blamed for bad teeth. I have just heard a radio warning that worry over the cold war, international tension, and the high cost of living not only brings on ulcers and heart attacks, but helps to cause dental cavities.

A UNO information office has moved into an abandoned cat's paw off Fifth Avenue. Over a curved bar women volunteers serve cocktails on human rights and disarmament. At tables illuminated by official pink candles students study world affairs.

MORE beefsteaks for American tables. Beef cattle herds are up to a record 52,000,000.

AN EXAMPLE of Eisenhower's tact is told by his housekeeper, Mrs C. Gage Lent: When a magazine wanted a copy of a picture of the Eisenhower family, the general refused until he "cleared" it with the late King.

JOAN COLLINS is getting the full-flight Hollywood publicity. Magazine spreads show her as Britain's 19-year-old "Good girl who makes bad" in bad girl roles.

THE Theatre Guild wants a top-flight English actress for Nellie Child's play, "The Happy Ending." Guild chief Lawrence Langner is now in London looking for her.

THE HUMAN TOUCH. Children learn road safety on

## THE SIGNORA SIZES UP THE FAMOUS

by ROBERT BLAKE

A CENTURY ago Ambassadors really mattered. Today they are little more than puppets gesticulating to order at the end of a telegraph wire. But although their power has declined they and their wives still have great advantages. As observers of the follies, the eccentricities and frailties of those who control our destiny they have an incomparable position. For this reason their memoirs, however trivial, are seldom dull.

Here is Signora Elisabetta Cerruti telling the story of her life between 1928 and 1940. During that time her husband was Italian Ambassador successively in Peiping, Moscow, Rio de Janeiro, Paris and Berlin. She met and sat next to characters as diverse as Hitler, Einstein, the Panchen Lama and the Duke of Windsor. Now she recounts her memoirs in a book agreeably spiced by acute observation and more than a touch of feline malice.

#### The aristocrat

She talks of the personalities she met in Russia. There was Chicherin, as Soviet Foreign Minister, originally an aristocrat reserving and gratifying his opulent tastes under the Bolshevik regime; something of a snob, too, for he never failed to allude in conversation to his aristocratic Italian cousins in Genoa.

Lytvinnov, who succeeded Chicherin as Foreign Minister, was a very different character. He looked Bolshevikian seriously and believed in equality. Signora Cerruti's sharp eye noticed that Mme Lytvinov (formerly Miss Ivy Low of London) always had holes in her stockings, and was obliged to borrow a fur coat from a State shop when she had to pay an official visit with her husband to Turkey.

From Russia, after a brief interval at Rio, the Cerrutis moved in 1932 to Berlin where

\* AMBASSADOR'S WIFE, by Elisabetta Cerruti (Allen and Unwin, 12s).

they remained for three years. Signora Cerruti frequently met Hitler. On the perennially fascinating question of the Führer's attitude to women she naturally had a firm view. He was, she says, "completely asexual in every way." But her judgment, based as it is on feminine intuition—that most fallible guide to truth—cannot be regarded as conclusive. The relations between Hitler and Eva Braun remain as mysterious as ever.



SIGNORA CERRUTI  
... a matter of intuition.

The Cerrutis were entertained from time to time by Goering. This entertainment was never dull. One's host might begin by appearing dressed in red velvet like a Renaissance grandee.

A quick change and he would return in grey breeches and a grey shirt with purple stripes. Then accompanied by thirty fops in medieval costume he would escort his guests around his grotesque castle at Kärntnertor.

#### Fiasco

When the Cerrutis visited him there the show-places was to be the sight of a bull-bison mating with the female of the species, but this, alas, ended in a comic fiasco. In no way discouraged, Goering hurried back to his castle in order to change into a costume of medieval green and greet them with a lance in his hand and a silver hunting horn slung from his neck.

In 1933, the Cerrutis, who had been in Berlin since 1932, were moved to Rome. Two years later Mussolini decided to withdraw his ambassador and they retired to Rome.

Signora Cerruti had no use for Mussolini. She tells the story of a visit by Mr Eden to Rome on the eve of the Abyssinian war.

A luncheon was held in Eden's honour. The Duke, determined to insult him, arrived late wearing a patched old coat, an open shirt, tennis shoes, and no socks. He behaved as offensively as possible throughout the meal, and the party broke up without a word being exchanged between the two men.

#### Serious? No

This is a book which will give pleasure to many. It is not, and does not claim to be, a serious contribution to the history of international relations. But it gives a vivid picture of the more solemn works of diplomatic history have mouldered away into dusty oblivion.

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# SURREY FAIL TO GET A FIRST INNINGS LEAD AGAINST GLAMORGAN



## All-Cambridge Eight For Helsinki

By HYLTON CLEAVER

An all-Cambridge eight have been picked to represent Britain in the Olympic Regatta. They will be entered for the Grand Challenge Cup at Henley, where they may have to cope with the Australian Olympic eight, also expected there.

Those of 10 possibilities, who had been tried on the Cam for the past six weeks and have not got in after all, have been formed into two fours and will race in the Olympic trials.

This will give the Thames crews opposition which should extend them to the Olympic eight is:

D. D. Macdonald (bow), A. L. MacLeod, N. B. M. Clark, R. F. A. Sharpley, E. J. Worlidge, C. B. M. Lloyd, W. A. D. Windham, D. M. Jennings (stroke), J. F. K. Hinde (cox).

Training is now going on at Ely under Professor Raymond Owen. The crew was moved to Marlow on June 9, but did not race at that Regatta.

At Henley on June 10 Mr Harold Rickitt will take over after the coaching, and immediately after the regatta a switch will be made to Putney for the final pushing process.

Brian Lloyd, who as captain of the Leander Club was entrusted with the task of picking our eight, has done a good job, the more so because he has had to leave out some of his close personal friends.

After much counsel with his coaches among his men he has got together six of the 1951 Cambridge eight which swept aside all opposition in the U.S.A.

Only two of that memorable eight have failed to regain their previous places. They are replaced by one of this year's new Blues and one left over, as it were, from 1950. — London Express Service.

# British-Trained Colts May Prove A Better Than Moderate Lot This Season

Says RICHARD BAERLEIN

The British-trained three-year-olds were more successful last week than their most ardent admirers could have hoped and perhaps by the end of the season we shall not be voicing the annual opinion that they are a moderate lot.

When a colt does all that is asked of him over distances between seven furlongs and one and three-quarter miles on hard and soft ground, alike to remain unbeaten in four races, including the Derby, it is unfair to describe him as moderate.

Yet that is what is being said of Tulyar, and of course all the other three-year-olds. Tulyar is the third colt to win the Lingfield Park Trial Stakes in its 15 years of running and then go on to win the Derby, for he followed April the Fifth and Mid-day Sun.

Yet I would describe him as a much better Derby winner than these two. The Lingfield form this year is working out well.

H.W.C. the third, had his chance entering the straight in the Derby when up with the leaders, Hilltop, who failed to stay home at Lingfield, centered in over one and a quarter miles at Hunt Park.

MAY WORK OUT WELL

Perhaps the Derby form will work out equally well during the coming weeks, paying fur-

ther tribute to Tulyar, but I am particularly interested in the future of three colts, all of whom have finished second to him this season — Nikiforos, Vagabond VII and Gay Time. These are the colts who can help to prove his worth in the future, though Nikiforos is French bred and Vagabond VII is American-bred.

Nikiforos ran Tulyar to half a length over one and three-quarter miles at Chester when finishing 7 lb. He claims all the allowances in the Ascot Gold Vase and a victory here would redound to the credit of Tulyar.

Vagabond VII was running only for the second time, at Lingfield, yet ran Tulyar to two lengths. He is an improving colt with tremendous scope.

GREAT FUTURE

If he stands up to hard work, there is a great future

for him. I would not put the valuable Ascot race or the St. Leger beyond his capabilities when he is fully tuned up.

Gay Time was still backward when running in the Derby, and though he may have been considered slightly unlucky in running, he is a colt who will make steady progress from now on.

The Derby came just a bit too soon for him, but he is slowly living up to the promise he showed last season.

Tulyar, Gay Time and Vagabond VII will give the French plenty to do in the valuable races in Britain between now and the end of the season. They may prove to be much better colts than they are being given credit for at present.

—(London Express Service)

## RECORD TWO MILES



Chris Chataway, the Oxford Blue, beat the British all-comers' Two Miles record of 9 mins. 0.6 secs. by five seconds at Oxford yesterday, states a Reuter message.

Chataway, who has run the fastest mile in Britain this year, returned a time of 8 mins. 55.6 secs. when running for his University against a Combined Services team.

The previous record was set up by Gundar Haegg (Sweden) at the White City, London, seven years ago. Chataway's time also smashed C. A. J. Emery's British national and English native figures of 9 mins. 3.4 secs., achieved in Manchester 13 years ago.

# Cardinals Beat Dodgers 15-10

New York, June 12.

Brooklyn's National League lead was whittled down to 3½ games when the Cardinals defeated the Dodgers 15-10 for their third straight triumph.

Brooklyn jumped to a quick 4-0 lead off Gerry Staley in the first inning, but the Cardinals retaliated with four runs in their half of the inning.

Warren Hacker kept hot with the Chicago Cubs and pitched them to a fifth 3-1 victory over the Phillies. It was the eighth victory in the last nine of Chicago, and put them within half a game of the second place Giants.

The Cubs handed the Phillies their fourth straight defeat, beating their ace, Robin Roberts. Hacker was deprived of a shut-out on a homer by Del Ennis. Hank Bauer, who homered three times on Wednesday, did not get a hit but drove in the first Cub run with a long fly, increasing his Major League RBI (runs batted in) leadership total to 59.

Toby Atwell doubled in the second Chicago run and the final tally was scored on a double by Roy Smalley and Hacker's single.

The Braves got even with the Pirates for beating them twice in a row with an 11-2 victory, in which catcher Paul Harris drove in six runs with a homer, a double and two singles. Lou Burdette, relieving starter Ernie Johnson after Pittsburgh scored twice in the second inning, pitched one hit ball the rest of the way.

In the American League, the pace-setting Yankees stayed ahead of the Red Sox on percentage points even though they are in a virtual first place tie, when they topped the Tigers 5-0 on Tom Morgan's two hitter while Boston beat St. Louis Browns 7-5.

Cleveland defeated Washington 7-4 to stay a half game behind the leaders and Chicago moved into fourth ahead of the Senators with a 10-4 victory at Philadelphia.

Morgan extended the Yankee winning streak to six games as

the Indians got even with St. Louis for shutting them out the last time he faced them, knocking him out with a six-run rally in the third. Bob Feller, with the big lead, coasted to his sixth victory.

The White Sox made 14 hits to defeat the Athletics as C. Stobbs galloped his third victory. Al Carrasquel made four hits, including a pair of triples.

Today's scores were:

THE SCORES

American League

DETROIT 0 3 1

NEW YORK 3 11 1

ST. LOUIS 5 12 3

BOSTON 7 10 3

PHILADELPHIA 10 14 1

CLEVELAND 7 11 1

WASHINGTON 4 10 1

National League

BROOKLYN 10 17 1

ST. LOUIS 15 10 0

PHILADELPHIA 1 5 0

CHICAGO 5 7 0

BOSTON 11 13 2

PITTSBURGH 2 4 1

# HAWAIIAN-BORN FORD KONNO IS AMERICA'S BIGGEST HOPE AGAINST FURUHASHI

Ford Konno is one of America's big hopes in the Olympic Games at Helsinki this summer. The Ohio State University student, now 19, not only holds national titles in the 200 Metres, 400 Metres and 1,500 Metres Free Style events, but has also bettered unofficially the world record for the 1,500 Metres Free Style race set by Hironashi Furuhashi, the Japanese swimmer.

Furuhashi, who specialises in the 1,500-Metre event, is considered by many authorities the world's greatest free-style swimmer.

## Best British Athletic Performances Of The Current Season

The second day of the British Games at the White City — June 1 — did not produce many exceptionally good performances as most of the running was done in or between showers on a flooded track.

Several good performances were put up at the Army Championships later in the same week.

Best performances by AAA-registered athletes in Britain up to June 6 followed:

100 YARDS	220 YARDS
E. McD. Bailey (Polytechnic H) 9.8	E. McD. Bailey (Polytechnic H) 21.0
D. Darlington (Loughborough Coll) 9.8	W. Jack (Victoria Park AAC) 21.5
J. A. Gregory (Gloucestershire) 9.9	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 21.5
A. R. Pinnington (Oxford U) 9.9	L. C. Lewis (Waltham A.C.) 21.5
J. M. Turner (Oxford U) 9.9	L. J. Merritt (London U) 21.5
A. Grievie (London H) 10.0	T. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 22.0
N. D. Stacey (Achnilles) 10.0	J. M. K. Finley (Cambridge U) 22.1
W. J. Ferguson (Nottingham) 10.0	D. J. Jackson (Polytechnic H) 22.1
T. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 10.0	K. K. Korah (London U) 22.2
D. L. Tremayne (St. Luke's Coll) 10.0	A. R. Pinnington (Oxford U) 22.2
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440 YARDS	880 YARDS
Arthur Wini (London U) 4.43	R. G. Bannister (London U) 1:33.0
Alan Dick (Oxford U) 4.5	A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 1:33.0
P. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 4.5	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 1:34.0
P. G. Fryer (London AC) 4.5	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 1:34.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 4.5	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 1:35.0
D. K. Corrie (Glasgow U) 4.5	Arthur Wini (London U) 1:35.0
P. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 4.5	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 1:35.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 4.5	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 1:35.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 4.5	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 1:35.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 200 Metres	

ONE MILE	THREE MILES
C. J. Chataway (Oxford U) 4:10.2	D. A. G. Pirie (South London H) 12:44.7
R. G. Bannister (London U) 4:10.5	F. D. Sando (Aylesford) 12:44.7
C. J. Chataway (Oxford U) 4:10.5	P. D. Sando (Aylesford) 12:44.7
D. J. Dibley (London AC) 4:11.5	A. D. Parker (Barrow AC) 12:44.7
P. J. Robinson (Cambridge U) 4:12.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 12:44.7
A. D. Parker (Barrow AC) 4:12.0	C. J. Chataway (Oxford U) 12:44.7
P. J. Robinson (Cambridge U) 4:12.0	J. Broughton (Blackheath H) 12:44.7
D. K. Corrie (Glasgow U) 4:12.0	C. J. Chataway (Oxford U) 12:44.7
P. J. Robinson (Cambridge U) 4:12.0	D. K. Corrie (Glasgow U) 12:44.7
0.7 seconds added for performance over 800 Metres	

500 YARDS	1,000 YARDS
Arthur Wini (London U) 1:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 2:00.0
Alan Dick (Oxford U) 1:00.0	A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 2:00.0
P. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 1:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 2:00.0
P. G. Fryer (London AC) 1:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 2:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 1:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 2:00.0
D. K. Corrie (Glasgow U) 1:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 2:00.0
P. L. Higgins (Hemel Hill H) 1:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 2:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 1:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 2:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 1:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 2:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 400 Metres	

2,000 YARDS	4,000 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 8:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 16:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 8:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 16:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 8:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 16:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 8:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 16:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 8:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 16:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 8:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 16:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 8:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 16:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 8:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 16:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 8:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 16:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 1,600 Metres	

800 YARDS	1,600 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 2:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 4:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 2:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 4:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 2:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 4:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 2:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 4:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 2:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 4:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 2:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 4:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 2:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 4:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 2:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 4:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 2:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 4:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 1,200 Metres	

3,200 YARDS	6,400 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 10:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 20:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 10:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 20:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 10:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 20:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 10:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 20:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 10:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 20:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 10:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 20:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 10:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 20:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 10:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 20:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 10:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 20:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 4,800 Metres	

1,200 YARDS	2,400 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 3:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 6:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 3:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 6:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 3:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 6:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 3:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 6:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 3:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 6:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 3:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 6:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 3:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 6:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 3:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 6:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 3:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 6:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 960 Metres	

4,800 YARDS	9,600 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 12:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 24:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 12:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 24:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 12:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 24:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 12:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 24:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 12:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 24:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 12:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 24:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 12:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 24:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 12:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 24:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 12:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 24:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 7,200 Metres	

1,600 YARDS	3,200 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 4:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 8:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 4:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 8:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 4:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 8:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 4:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 8:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 4:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 8:00.0
Arthur Wini (London U) 4:00.0	P. Bryant (Oxford U) 8:00.0
P. Bryant (Oxford U) 4:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 8:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 4:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 8:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 4:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 8:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 1,200 Metres	

2,400 YARDS	4,800 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 6:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 12:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 6:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 12:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 6:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 12:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 6:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 12:00.0
A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 6:00.0	Arthur Wini (London U) 12:00.0
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P. Bryant (Oxford U) 6:00.0	F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 12:00.0
F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 6:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 12:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 6:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 12:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 1,600 Metres	

3,200 YARDS	6,400 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 8:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 16:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 8:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 16:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 8:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 16:00.0
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B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 8:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 16:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 2,400 Metres	

4,800 YARDS	9,600 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 12:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 24:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 12:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 24:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 12:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 24:00.0
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F. Evans (Manchester A.C.) 12:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 24:00.0
B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 12:00.0	B. Shenton (Polytechnic H) 24:00.0
0.7 seconds added for performance over 7,200 Metres	

6,400 YARDS	12,800 YARDS
R. G. Bannister (London U) 16:00.0	R. G. Bannister (London U) 32:00.0
A. Webster (Sutton-in-Ashfield H) 16:00.0	K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 32:00.0
K. Marsden (Cambridge U) 16:00.0	D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 32:00.0
D. E. Gurney (Achnilles) 16:00.0	A. J. Vincent (Manchester U) 32:00.0
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0.7 seconds added for performance over 9,600 Metres	

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	<b>440 YARDS HURDLES</b>	
D.	K. Gracie (Glasgow U) ...	53.0
	A. W. Scott (Achilles) ...	54.2
	E. Whittle (Reading AC) ...	54.0
Whits	F. J. Parker (South London H) ...	53.6
C.	J. Davis (Ealing H) .....	50.2
		<b>LEACH AND</b>



## HUNGARIAN STARS FOR OLYMPICS



Two of Hungary's stars practicing hard for the Olympic Games at Helsinki in July are their long jump champion, OLOGA GYARMATI (above), successful with 18 ft. 8 in. at Weimarer four years ago, and JÁNOS FOLDES (below), one of Hungary's best long jumpers.



## Kent Tennis Championships' Last Fours

Beckenham, England, June 12.  
Don Candy of Australia, the defending champion, reached the semi-finals to-day of the Kent Lawn Tennis Championships by downing Narendra Nath of India, 6-2, 6-0.

Candy now meets Gardner Mulloy, U.S., while in the other semi-finals Hamilton Richardson, U.S., plays Eric Sturges (South Africa).

Candy defeated Mulloy in the final last year.

In the women's singles, Miss Dorothy Head (U.S.) won her way into the semi-finals in a hard-fought three-set match with Mrs. Peggy Dawson-Scott of England. The scores were 6-2, 3-6, 6-3 in a one hour and 40 minutes struggle.

Miss Head faces Mrs. Hazel Reddick-Smith of South Africa while in the other semi-final Mrs. Julia Wipplinger (South Africa) plays Mrs. Vera Thomas, the one English survivor. The singles finals are on Saturday. Associated Press.

## MORE ATTEMPTS ON COLONY RECORDS

The second of a series of Swimming Galas organised by the Hongkong Amateur Swimming Association will take place at the Victoria Recreation Club on Tuesday, June 17, at 8 p.m.

As in the previous gala, the main feature of an interesting programme of events will be the attempts on Colony records.

In addition there will be a Junior Inter-Club contest among Ladies' Recreation Club, Lai Tsun, Ching Wing, Victoria Recreation Club and Hoi Tin.

Swimmers are classified as Juniors if they are not Colony Champions, or if they have failed to qualify for the finals of the individual event for which they will compete.

The following is the complete programme:

## Inter-School Swimming Meet

Four records were broken during the first day's finals of the Inter-School Aquatic Meet sponsored by the Hongkong Amateur Swimming Association and held at the Ritz Pool yesterday.

Miss M. V. Giles won the Middle School Girls' 100 metres free-style event in 80 seconds, bettering the time of 1 min. 22 seconds set up by Miss Fung Ying-choo last year. In yesterday's race, Miss Fung came third.

Miss Fung, however, set up a new mark in the Middle School Girls' 100 metres backstroke event, which she won in 01.8 seconds. The old time was 1 min. 51.8 seconds.

In the Middle School Boys' 1,500 metres free-style event, Wong Long-hoi established a new record with the time of 21 min. 38 seconds. Last year, Wong Kan-yat returned the time of 23 min. 1.4 seconds.

The fourth record to topple was the Middle School Girls' 4 x 50 metres free-style, which was won by King George V School in 2 min. 27.5 seconds.

The previous time was 3 min. 16.4 seconds.

**THE RESULTS**  
The following were the results of yesterday's finals:

Middle School Boys' 50 metres free-style—1. Lau Kam-ping (New Method); 2. Lau Kam-ping (New Method); 3. Wong Long-hoi (King George V). Time: 23.4 seconds.

Primary School Boys' 100 metres free-style—1. Wong Tam-shing (Salisbury); 2. Lau Kam-ping (New Method); 3. Wong Long-hoi (King George V). Time: 17.2 seconds.

Middle School Girls' 100 metres free-style—1. M. V. Giles (King George V); 2. Chan Ching-mui (Belmont); 3. Fung Ying-choo (Belmont). Time: 80 seconds. (Record).

Primary School Girls' 50 metres free-style—1. Victoria (Victoria); 2. Elizabeth Kennedy (Roydon); 3. Doris To (Roydon). Time: 40.8 seconds.

Middle School Boys' 200 metres breaststroke—1. Nick Lit-wan (Fong Lam); 2. Yung Ka-yun (Fong Lam); 3. Ching Kai-chung (Fong Lam). Time: 2 min. 59.5 seconds.

Primary School Boys' 100 metres backstroke—1. Wong Tam-shing (Salisbury); 2. Lau Kam-ping (New Method); 3. Yung Ka-yun (Fong Lam). Time: 1 min. 20.7 seconds.

Middle School Girls' 100 metres backstroke—1. Fung Ying-choo (Belmont); 2. Lynn Harris (King George V); 3. E.A.R. Grant (King George V). Time: 01.0 seconds. (Record).

Primary School Girls' 50 metres free-style—1. King George V; 2. Belinda Public School; 3. New Method. Time: 2 min. 27.5 seconds. (Record).

Middle School Boys' 4 x 50 metres free-style relay—1. King George V; 2. Belinda Public School; 3. New Method. Time: 2 min. 27.5 seconds. (Record).

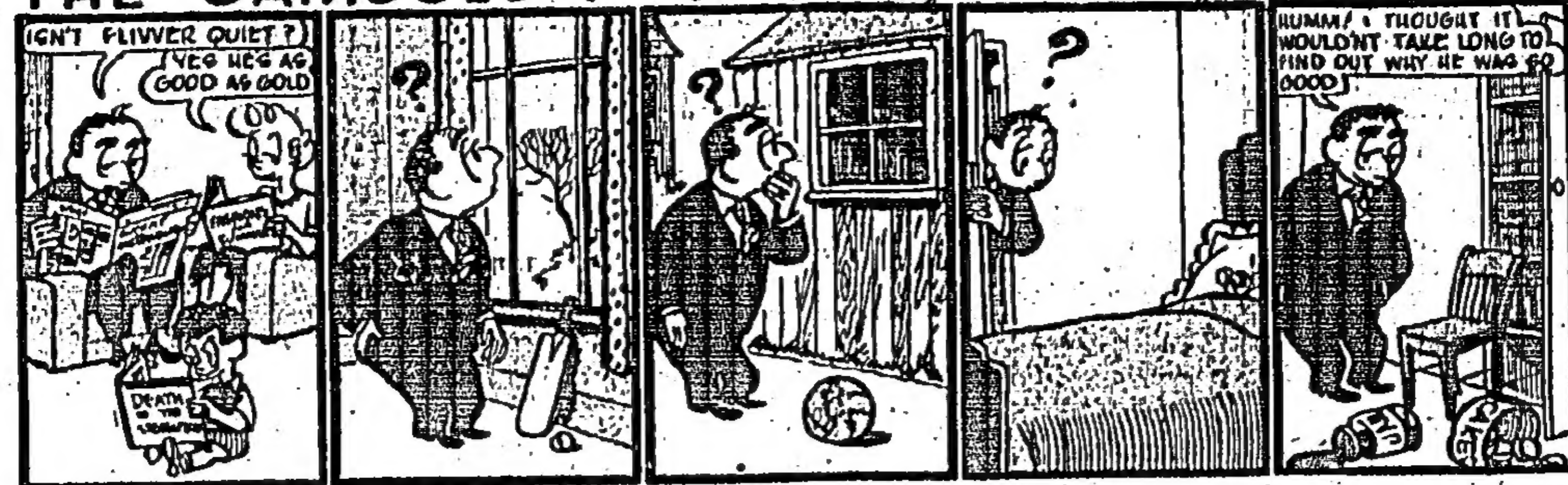
Middle School Boys' 4 x 50 metres free-style relay—1. New Method; 2. Fong Lam; 3. King George V. Time: 1 min. 56.2 seconds.

**India's Biggest Sports Stadium Now Bombay's**  
Bombay.  
India's biggest sports stadium, the Vallabhbhai Patel Olympic Stadium, has been opened here.

Facing the sea and overlooking a race-course, the stadium has a seating capacity of 40,000.

A standard football field in the centre of the bowl is framed by a 440 yards cinder track for athletics. This is surrounded by an embanked concrete cycling track, the first of its kind in Bombay.—Reuter.

## THE GAMBOLS



## TODAY'S SPORTS

Lawn Tennis

Men's "B" Division—IRC v CRC

Recreo v Urban Council "C"

Water Polo

Senior—White Sharks v South

China 6 p.m. Fortuna v EYMCA

6.30 p.m.

Junior—VRC v RAF 7 p.m.

All games will be played at the VRC Pool.

Aquatics

Inter-School Swimming Championship Finals at the Ritz (last day of finals), commencing 6 p.m.

**HALIBURTON**

**FOLLOWS UP**

**61 WITH 65**

Worthing, Sussex,

June 12.

Tom Haliburton, Scottish

International golfer, get

up what is probably a world

record when he followed

up his phenomenal first

round of 61 with another

65 today in the Spalding

Professional Tournament.

Haliburton's 36 holes total

of 126 has never been done before

in British golf, and a search

through the record books shows

that it is probably a world

record.

**RECORD WAS HOGAN'S**

The previous best was Ben

Hogan's two rounds of 64 in the

1950 Greenbriar's Tournament

in the United States.

In the present tournament

here the continental challenge

of five has been reduced to two,

P. Boomer and Foran Van

Donck, both from Belgium,

being among the 50 players who

qualified with scores of 147 or

better for tomorrow's final two

rounds.

Boomer had a second round

of 74 for a total of 146 and Van

Donck also returned a 74 for

147.

G. de Wit (Holland) had a 76

for 148 and just failed to

qualify.

W. S. Forrester (Royal

Bridgeway) had a 75 for 151 and

Jan A. de (France) had an 80

for 152.—Reuter.

**Soccer Down**

**Mexico Way**

Manchester United FC,

down Mexico way on their

summer soccer tour, have

run into a spot of bother.

According to agency mes-

sages, their match against

the fiery Atlas club of

Guadalajara nearly caused

a riot.

Things happened this way:

Manchester United were leading

1-0 in the second half, Juan

Gomez, the Mexican full-back,

clipped Roger Byrne in the

penalty area. Referee Alex

Thompson awarded the United

a penalty.

That was when the Atlas

half-half, Tony Varrillo,

entered the argument. Violently

disagreeing with the referee, he

charged into Thompson, knock-

ing him down.

**ORDERED OFF**

Thompson retaliated, ordering

Varrillo off the field. Im-

mediately the Mexican sub-

stitutes and numerous coaching

staff rushed on to the field and

began to pummel the referee.

That was the signal for the

police to step in. It took them

15 minutes to restore order,

because many spectators had

also joined the fight.

Were the Manchester players

affected by this demonstration

of soccer the Mexican way? Not

a bit. Byrne cracked home the

penalty and the United won

2-0.

By way of an encore the

Mexican supporters a 2-0 a

final whistle sounded. Manches-

ter United left the field as the

police were going into action

for the second time.

—(London Express Service)

## John L. Sullivan—The Man Who Snubbed A Prince And Was King Of Champions

By JOHN BLAIR

In the summer of 1892, when Benjamin Harrison was President of the United States and the youthful Theodore Roosevelt one of his civil service commissioners, a violent strike broke out in the steel mills of Homestead, Pennsylvania, outside Pittsburgh.

On one day seven Pinkerton guards and eleven strikers and bystanders were shot to death. Scores of persons were wounded by gunfire, and a little Henry Clay Frick, head of the striking plant, was seriously injured by an assassin named Alexander Berkman, an avowed anarchist. It was a critical time.

But while government officials, newspaper editors, clergymen, and serious-minded property-owning citizens throughout the country discussed remedies and took such corrective steps as they could, the greater part of the 65,000,000 inhabitants of the United States were far more seriously concerned with another matter.

For out near the eastern tip of Long Island a corpulent gentleman was skipping ropes and in other ways preparing himself to defend the Heavyweight Boxing Championship he had held for more than ten years.

**NO DOUBT AT ALL**

There could be, of course, no doubt at all about the outcome of the fight that was scheduled for New Orleans on September 7. In the first place, the challenger, James J. Corbett, had once worked in a bank—and that was no place to learn the lightning

in the second place, Mr. Corbett wore his heavy black hair in a smooth pompadour and was said to be well-mannered—bad signs both.

The fact that Corbett had already knocked out a very formidable fellow San Franciscan named Joe Choynski, that he had won a clear decision against the stalwart Jake Kilrain in six rounds, and that he had fought a 61-round draw with the accom-

plished Peter Jackson impressed almost no one.

Nor did the fact that Corbett was almost eight years younger than the champion.

Nor that he was in perfect physical condition, lightning fast, and highly confident. But the real reason why hardly one man or boy in a hundred allowed Corbett even an outside chance was that his opponent was John L. Sullivan.

It is a little hard today for one to envisage the mantle of invincibility that hung from Sullivan's massive sloping shoulders during his entire fighting career. Yet this mantle was for so many years that when it began to come apart at the seams very few people noticed the change.

And when here and there an individual with clear eyes told what he had seen, he was scoffed at. Furthermore, he was charged with implying, warned, threatened, and likely to be publicly whipped or even tarred and feathered. For John L. Sullivan had ceased to be merely an unbeatable fighting man. He had become an idol.

These facts, and scores of other dramatic and highly interesting incidents are contained in the book just published, *John L. Sullivan, Champion of Champions* (Hale, 18s.), written by the renowned American, Nat Fleischer.

**THE GASLIGHT ERA**

When one thinks of the Great John L. one thinks primarily of the greatest boxer of modern times, but, in fact, the "Boston Strong Boy" was a great deal more than this; he typified the colourful gaslight era of a generation now gone.

Sullivan's boxing career supplies the framework in this vastly entertaining biography. In 1882, at the age of 24, he knocked out Paddy Ryan to win the American Heavyweight Championship. Sullivan was defeated only once—by Jim Corbett, to whom he lost the title in 1892—and only two of his opponents ever managed to fight him to a draw.

The round-by-round descriptions of such important fights as those with Ryan, Corbett, Jake Kilrain, John Flood, Charley Mitchell and others are here in counterpoint with Sullivan outside the ring.

The Great John L. was an impressive slayer and a prodigious drinker—mostly of champagne—

**The Australian Government**

**Made Most Profit Out Of**

**Davis Cup Series**

Melbourne, June 12.

The Australian Government made more money out of the 1951 Davis Cup Challenge Round and Inter-zone final than any of the participating countries.

Net profits of the two series, which attracted capacity crowds in Sydney and Melbourne, totalled £47,020 (£105,325).

LTAA treasurer Don Ferguson said the government will collect £25,000 (£70,440)—which includes £28,000 (£92,720) in entertainment tax and an additional £7,000 (£15,000) company tax on Australia's share.

America came out of the Davis Cup tour best with £14,500 (£22,500). Sweden's share was £3,500 (£7,040).

Australia, which stages the Challenge Round in Adelaide this year, made £9,771 (£21,090) in tatters the LTAA treasurer chest.—United Press.

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**To Score His Fourth**

**Triumph In U.S. Open**

Dallas, Texas, June 12.

Bantam Ben Hogan, the little "man with the big game," was favoured tonight, on the eve of the 52nd U.S. Open Championship, to score his fourth triumph in America's greatest golfing classic despite a "now or never" bid by red hot Sam Snead.

A select field of 162 of the nation's finest shot-makers start the nerve shattering three-day trek over the rolling sun-blistered acres of Northwood Club tomorrow morning.

But Hogan was regarded as the man to beat in single rounds tomorrow and the closing two rounds among the low 60 on Saturday.

For Bantam Ben has proved in the last four years that in this "one, with all its pulse pounding pressure," he has the shots and the savoir faire of the golfing immortals.

**LIMPED BACK**

Hogan won it in 1948 and was fighting for his life after a near fatal accident the next year. But he limped back to take it again in 1950 and retained it once more last year.

In semi-retirement, the gallant little Texan showed that he was ready for his "now or never" bid yesterday when he matched the course record with a blazing 64—which easily could have been a 62—compared with Hogan's best practice round of 71.

But the psychological edge was against the slammer. Four times he has had this greatest prize of the fairways in his grasp. Four times he has blown it.—United Press.

Snead is just as





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"PAKHOI"	Keelung	5 p.m. 21st June
"SHENGKING"	Keelung	5 p.m. 21st June
"HUNAN"	Tientsin	10 a.m. 23rd June
"SOOCHOW"	Bangkok	10 a.m. 23rd June
"FOOCHOW"	Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar	10 a.m. 24th June

ARRIVALS FROM		
"SINKIANG"	Bangkok	6 p.m. 13th June
"HANYANG"	Kobe	7 a.m. 14th June
"FUNGING"	Semporna	14th June
"FUKIEN"	Singapore	15th June
"PAKHOI"	Brunei	18th June
"SHENGKING"	Keelung	7 a.m. 19th June
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"AUTOLYCUS"	Casablanca, Dublin & Liverpool	28th July

Scheduled sailings from Europe		
Sails	Arrives	
G. "PELEUS"	do	17th June
S. "ANTIOCHUS"	do	23rd June
G. "AUTOLYCUS"	do	1st July
S. "ANCHISES"	do	11th July
G. "PATROCLUS"	12th June	16th June
S. "CLYTONEUS"	18th June	24th July
G. "ASTYANAX"	25th June	31st July
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"BENLOMOND"	U.K. via B.N. Dornoe on or abt.	5th July
"BENWORLICH"	Japan	9th July
"BENALBANACH"	U.K. via Singapore	23rd July
"BENAVON"	U.K. via Singapore	30th July
"BENVENUE"	Japan	12th Aug.

## SAILINGS

	Leading on or abt.	
"BENWYVIS"	Havre, Liverpool, Glasgow and Antwerp	13th June
"BENLOMOND"	Direct to Singapore, thence Avonmouth, Liverpool, Rotterdam and Hull	9th July
"BENALBANACH"	London, Rotterdam, and Hamburg	11th July
"BENAVON"	Kure, Yokohama, and Kobe	25th July
"BENVENUE"	Havre, London and Rotterdam	4th Aug.
"BENWYVIS"	Direct to Singapore, thence Liverpool, Dublin and Hamburg	12th Aug.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

m/v "CYCLOPS"

Damaged cargo ex this vessel will

be surveyed at H.K. Wharf between

10 a.m. and Noon on June 14 and

15, 1952, and consignees are requested

to have their representatives present

during the survey.

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, June 12, 1952.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

CONSIGNEES PER

DARDER-WILHELMSEN LINE

m.s. "TRINPARK"

are hereby notified that their cargo

is being discharged into the Hong-

Kong &amp; Kowloon Wharf at 10 a.m.

on June 14, 1952, and subject to the

Wharf's terms and conditions of stor-

age, and where delivery may be

obtained.

Damaged packages are to be left

in the godowns for examination by

Consignees and the Company's

surveyors or Messrs. Goddard &amp;

Douglas at 10 a.m. on the 14th June, 1952.

To comply with the General

Bonded Warehouse Regulations, con-

signees must have a Revenue Officer

in attendance when damaged dutiable

goods are examined.

No claims will be admitted after

the goods have left the warehouse's

godowns. And, all goods remaining

undelivered after the 14th June, 1952,

will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer

must be presented to the Under-

signed on or before the 22nd June,

1952, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

DODWELL &amp; CO., LTD.

Agents.

Hongkong, June 10, 1952.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

MAERSE LINE

m/v "ELSE MAERSE"

having arrived from Kowloon and

Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo

are hereby notified that their goods

are being landed and piled at their

risk and expense into the Hong Kong

&amp; Kowloon Wharf &amp; Godown Com-

pany's godowns at Kowloon, where

delivery may be obtained as soon as

the goods are landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed

here, unless notice has been given at

least 24 hours prior to arrival, but

carried on from port to port to the

final port of call to which the option

extends.

No claims will be admitted after

the goods have left the Godowns,

and all goods remaining undelivered

after the 14th June, 1952, will be

subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged

Goods are to be left in the Godowns,

where they will be examined on

14th June, 1952, at 10 a.m. by our

Surveyors Messrs. Goddard &amp;

Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded

Warehouse Regulations consignees

must have a Revenue Officer in

attendance when damaged dutiable

goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the

14th July, 1952, or they will not be

recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

JENSEN &amp; CO.,

Agents.

Hong Kong, 12th June, 1952.

Blind Pianist  
Plays Chopin

London, June 12.

The Duke of Edinburgh

listened to a Chopin Prelude

played by a blind pianist after

he had opened a Braille Cen-

tenary Exhibition at the National

Institute for the Blind in

London today.

The pianist was Davis Buchanan

of Storrington, Sussex.

On a tour of the exhibition

the Duke saw a new machine,

which has revolutionised Braille

printing by making production

cheaper and reading easier. It

is known as the solid dot Braille

machine.

An electronic robot, with

three metal fingers, stores words

dotted on a Braille sheet and

transmits them electrically to an

attached "slave machine".

A speech made by the Duke

was taken down on a shorthand

machine by a blind typist, Miss

Grace Taylor, and a copy of the

transcript was shown to the

Duke before he left the exhibi-

tion.—Reuter.

Why They  
Undress  
In Public

Toronto, June 12.

The first attempt to explain

why whole groups of Doukhobors,

a sect of religious refugees

from Russia in Canada, undress

in public is made by Alfred

Shulman, psychiatrist at the

Seton Institute, Baltimore.

In part of a report of 18

months of study of Russians who

have been blamed for 400 cases

of arson and dynamiting in

British Columbia, he blames an

inferiorly complex and repres-

sion of feelings of hostility. "A

result of repression of hostility

is the eruption of hostile be-

haviour in a disguised form.

Removing one's clothes is a re-

markably effective device for

making other people uncom-

fortable and angry.

"They need have no fear of

retaliation in kind. No non-

Doukhobor is ever going to

take off his clothes in order to

annoy a Doukhobor, and even

if he did the effect would be

simply ludicrous.

No detailed plans need be

made, no capable leader or the

structure of a social organiza-

tion is required.

"It is applicable to all situa-

tions and can be resorted to

without any difficulty.

"One has only to take off a

few clothes and the enemy is de-

moralized. If not routed,

"As a hostile device it is sim-

ple and very effective."

An investigation committee

recommends that 2,000 or more

fanatical Doukhobors should be

re-buffed in another country,

but so far 12 countries have

refused to have them.

The exiled former King and

his wife will live at Ayot House,

Ayot St. Lawrence, Hertford-

shire, near the home of the late

George Bernard Shaw.—Reuter.

Michael To Live  
In Herts.

Southampton, June 12.

Ex-King Michael of Rumania

and his wife arrived from

Cherbourg today in a ferry

freighter. They brought with

them a limousine, a jeep and a

trailer.

The exiled former King and

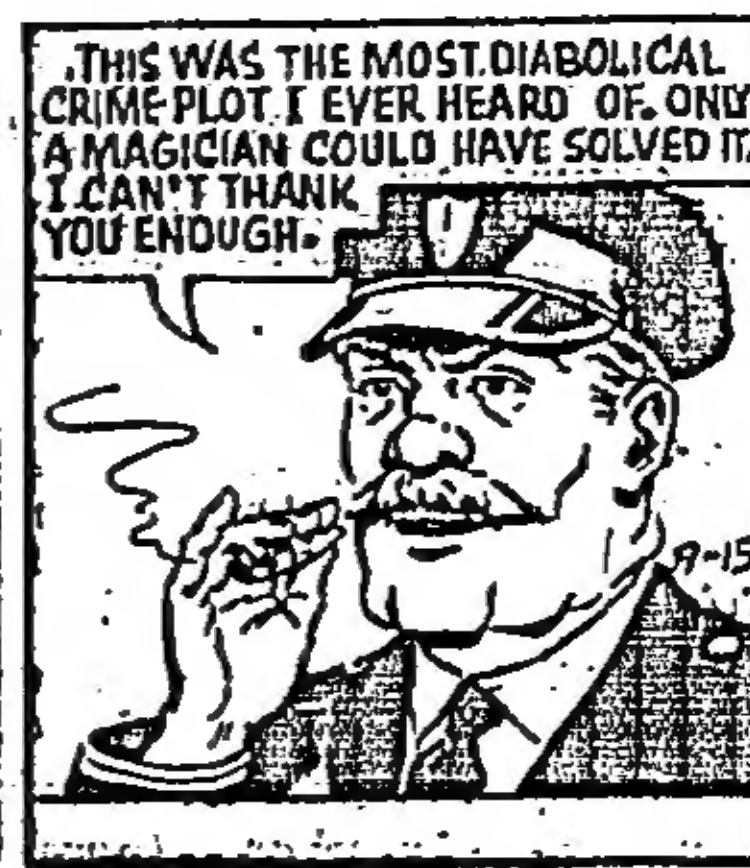
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Ship	Arriving	Leaving	Outward Port
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## NY Cotton Closes On Rally

New York, June 12. Cotton futures opened higher and despite subsequent rallies and declines maintained an overall upward movement, closing on a rally. Activity was good at a quiet pace with a good part of the business running over evening-up in July delivery before the first notice day on June 24.

The market opened up 1 to 9 points, backed and filled over a range of 20 points and then closed around the high and up 14 to 20 points net. Prices closed today as follows:

Spot	41.55 nominal
July	40.15-40.25
October	37.25-37.37
December	35.00-35.02
March	33.05 bid
May	32.05 bid
July	30.25 bid
October	28.75 bid

## NEW ORLEANS MARKET

Spot	40.55
July	39.50-40.16
October	37.25-37.37
December	35.00-35.02
March	33.05 bid
May	32.05 bid
July	30.25 bid
October	28.75 bid

## BRITAIN AND TARIFF PACT

Genoa, June 12. There is the indication that Britain intends any preliminary action on the 34-nation General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. It was recently reported in a London newspaper that Britain might be considering ratification of GATT.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGES IN N.Y.

Country	New York, June 12.
Canada	US\$1.02 1/2
England	2.57 bid/2.58 asked
France	2.49 1/2
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## Excavations Yield Finds

London, June 12. Excavations in the bombed ruins of St. Eustach's Church, Fleet Street, London, during the past few days have disclosed what appears to be a Roman sub-basement.

Work on the site started in February, since when traces of ancient churches have been found. One church was at least early Roman.

Other excavations in the city have uncovered part of a Roman building in Galway, and a Roman fort at Cripplegate.

Evidence indicated that the fort was dismantled around 200 A.D.—Reuter.

## Dozed While Driving

London, June 12. A schoolmaster, David Jenkins, Chairman of his local Road Safety Committee against dangerous drivers, was fined £5 at Maudstone today—for dangerous driving.

He dozed at the wheel, mounted a pavement, crashed through a fence, knocked down a stone pillar and finished up in a garden.

Two schoolboys had to jump clear.

Mr. Jenkins, 62, went to hospital with concussion.

A doctor suggested that exhaust gases in the car might have made him sleepy.—Reuter.

## Prison Break Fails

Paris, June 12. Paul Dellapina, one of France's most dangerous criminals, made an unsuccessful bid to escape from Fresnes prison here early today.

Dellapina was sentenced to death in his absence for murdering the Norwegian Consul at Marseilles in 1947, having escaped from prison soon after his arrest. The case must be re-examined before sentence is carried out.

Dellapina's latest escape bid—his fourth since the murder of the Consul—failed because another gangster with whom he made the attempt fell from his cell window, breaking his leg and attracting the attention of the guards.—Reuter.

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## COURT REJECTS APPEAL AGAINST EVICTION

A woman, Ip Sau-ying, brought an appeal before Mr. Justice Gould at the Appeal Court this morning against a decision by the Tenancy Tribunal to evict her from the first floor, of 172, Queen's Road West, which was being used as a school. The appeal was dismissed his Lordship remarking that he had not been able to find any ground on which the woman could rely.

Ip Sau-ying, dressed in white European-style dress, conducted her appeal personally while Mr. D. A. L. Wright, instructed by Mr. F. H. Loseby, represented the respondent, a woman, Yu Fong, who was applicant at the Tribunal hearing.

Asked by his Lordship to explain her grounds of appeal, Ip said that she did not know who was the owner of the house, but since the reoccupation of the Colony she had paid the rent and it was not another woman, as had been stated at the Tribunal.

His Lordship reminded appellant that the order for eviction was made on the ground that Li had transferred the premises to the appellant without the authority of the landlord.

Appellant: "The rent collector assured me at the time that as long as he accepted rent from me he would be acting the same as if he were the landlord himself."

Asked by his Lordship when she started using the premises as a school, appellant replied that the first year after the liberation the school was not registered and she was teaching at night school. In 1950 the school was registered by the Education Department.

### LEAVES PREMISES

When asked about the woman Li, appellant replied that since Li had transferred the premises to her she had left and she (Li) told the rent collector that he could collect from appellant. Li left in October, 1945.

Mr. Wright said that it was a breach of her licence from the Education Department to have a sub-tenant. On the day of the hearing before the Tribunal the premises were not domestic premises. In the proceedings Li Sap-sum gave evidence in regard to house No. 172, but the appellant did not testify although she was given every opportunity to do so.

Mr. Wright said that the appellant got \$500 from Li and Li

retained the cockloft. They had deliberately concealed this position from the landlord. The appellant had paid the rent through Li and the receipts throughout remained in Li's name.

When she was pressed about this at the hearing, Li admitted that the landlord did not know of the transfer of the flat to the appellant.

Counsel said that when the whole thing was discovered, the appellant went to see the landlord's husband, who was stone deaf, and appellant wrote on scraps of paper what she had to say to him. In April or May 1951 Li disappeared from the premises but when she got her certificate from the Director of Education, Li had to leave.

### BOGUS RECEIPTS

Mr. Wright pointed to several rent receipts which the President of the Tribunal had also agreed were bogus. Perhaps this had motivated the appellant into not giving evidence, said Mr. Wright. Li had embogged appellant's case by telling substantially the truth.

At the hearing on January 30 Li did not appear to oppose the application but only appeared at a later stage.

"My case is that there was no sub-letting but an out-and-out transfer. If there was anything in favour of the appellant it would be my duty to put it before the Court. My case is clear," he concluded.

Dismissing the appeal, Mr. Justice Gould said, "I have not been able to find any ground on which you could rely on this appeal. The matter for decision before the Tribunal was a question of fact. They heard all the evidence and you, yourself did not elect to give evidence.

Appellant: The lawyer asked me not to speak.

His Lordship: That is your responsibility. He was acting for you. It is not my function to re-try the case but only to make sure that everything correct was done at the Tribunal and that the correct law was applied. Your appeal is dismissed.

### GOLD SEIZURE AT KAI TAK

Revenue officers at the Kai Tak airport this morning seized 300 toads of gold, valued at \$90,000 according to unofficial rates.

An attempt was made to smuggle the gold out of the Colony in a CPA plane scheduled to leave for Bangkok at 8.15 a.m.

Acting Insp. Harris and Revenue officer H.K. Cheng boarded the plane and found the gold in three packages of 100 toads each, hidden underneath a radio set.

## Four Strokes For Theft

A 17-year-old laundry was assistant, Yuen Hing, was given four strokes of the cane and bound over in £250 for 12 months by Mr. K.Y. Yung at Kowloon this morning for stealing \$75 which he found in a pair of trousers sent to be washed.

Inspector Apps said that the defendant first denied he had found any money when he was questioned by the complainant, Cheng Yan-ni, last Wednesday, but later confessed to the laundry when a report was made to the Police.

## SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I see your son is still waiting for world conditions to settle before he finds a job! Smart young man!"

## Chinese Bank's \$10,000 Claim Against Merchant Firm

A claim for \$10,000 on an alleged bill of exchange was brought by a Chinese bank against a firm of general merchants before Mr. Justice Williams, Senior Puisne Judge, in the Supreme Court this morning.

A preliminary objection to a document alleged by the plaintiffs to be a bill of exchange or a promissory note on the ground that it was not a valid document and was therefore void was raised by Mr. John McNeill, QC, Senior Counsel for the defendants. He pointed out the document had not been properly stamped.

On the application of Mr. Brook A. Bernacchi, for the plaintiffs, who asked for an adjournment to consider his position in view of the objection raised, Mr. Justice Williams adjourned the hearing to 10 a.m. next Monday.

Plaintiffs were the See Hai Tong Banking and Insurance Co., Ltd., of 30 Bonham Strand West, while defendants were the Chin Sheng Hong, general merchants, of 20 Bonham Strand West, ground floor.

Mr. Brook A. Bernacchi, instructed by Messrs. Bratton and Co., appeared for plaintiffs, and Mr. J. J. D'Alton, QC, and Mr. V. L. J. D'Alton, instructed by Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, represented the defendants.

In their claim, plaintiffs state that a document dated November 14, 1941, in the Chinese language and reciting that an exact sum of \$10,000 was remitted from Bangkok by the Ng Kie Hah rice shop to the plaintiffs, the bill to be presented to the defendants 15 days after the date of the document, plaintiffs alleged, was endorsed by defendants as "sighted" on November 26, 1941.

Plaintiffs further claimed that the money was remitted by the rice shop to defendants who, by their endorsement (a) accepted the document and liability to pay thereunder and (b) acknowledged that they held the sum of \$10,000 for plaintiffs. The document was presented by plaintiffs for payment but defendants, they alleged, have failed or refused to pay. Plaintiffs claimed the document to be a bill of exchange duly accepted by defendants and was now overdue and unpaid.

### ESTOPPEL CLAIM

Defendants, plaintiffs alleged, were estopped from alleging that the document was not a bill of exchange in that they had accepted it and further, over a number of years, had accepted and paid on similar documents, whereby the plaintiffs have been induced to believe that the defendants, having accepted the document, would make payment thereon, and have suffered damage.

In the alternative, plaintiffs say that by acceptance of the document the same constitutes a promissory note between plaintiffs and defendants.

In the further alternative, they claim the sum of \$10,000 as money received by defendants for the use of plaintiffs and acknowledged as previously paid.

In the final alternative, plaintiffs claimed the sum was held out by defendants in trust for plaintiffs, and they therefore

## Mark Clark Reported In Trouble With Joint Chiefs Of Staff

New York, June 12.

The United States Joint Chiefs of Staff were "seriously considering discussing a new and firmer attitude including possibly the issue of specific directives" to General Mark Clark, United Nations Supreme Commander in Korea, the New York Post reported today.

A dispatch from its Washington correspondent, Mr. Robert Allen, also said that General Clark:

1.—Had insisted that the invitation to Britain's Defence Minister, Lord Alexander, to visit Korea should be issued in his name.

2.—Had "provocatively meddled" in the Panmunjom armistice negotiations.

Mr. Allen's dispatch said that General Clark had "in effect, pulled his rank as theatre commander on the United Nations Joint Chiefs of Staff" in respect of Lord Alexander's visit.

He reported that Mr. Churchill's Government requested the State Department to issue an official invitation for Lord Alexander's visit.

### DELIGHTED

The Department informed the Joint Chiefs who, according to Mr. Allen, "were delighted with the plan as they had long urged such a move."

"They promptly cabled General Clark, to keep him informed," said Mr. Allen.

"To their amazement, the Far East Commander, who had had nothing to do with the matter, demanded that the official invitation be issued in his name."

Mr. Allen instanced as a "far more serious" instance what he termed "General Clark's provocative meddling in the Panmunjom armistice negotiations."

"It was he who was directly responsible for the abrupt three days' recess announced by the United Nations delegates," Mr. Allen reported.

"General Clark ordered this dangerous move without the knowledge or approval of the Joint Chiefs. They were as surprised as the Communists when it happened."

Mr. Allen said that General Clark's "unauthorized" action was directly counter to their sternest admonitions—before he left Washington a month ago.

He said that the Joint Chiefs were "seriously discussing new and firmer attitudes" toward General Clark, including possibly the issue of "specific directives" to him.—Reuter.

An objection although there was authority for such a move, that the provisions of the Ordinance did not apply to a case like that, before the Court were the validity of a document was at issue. The present action was based upon an allegation that a certain document was a bill of exchange and that it was not a bill of exchange if it was a promissory note. If the document was a bill of exchange, it was, on the face of it, a foreign bill, and therefore, under the Ordinance, it was not a bill of exchange.

### NO HK STAMPS

Mr. McNeill pointed out that the document before the Court did not bear any Hong Kong revenue stamps and only contained some Thailand stamps. This matter had not come to his attention until the day before the hearing when he saw the original document.

Counsel also quoted Section 41 (1) of the Stamp Ordinance which stated that every person who presents for payment any bill of exchange, promissory note or other negotiable instrument shall be deemed to have committed an offence against the Ordinance, and every person who is guilty of such offence shall be liable to a fine not exceeding \$100.

If the document was a promissory note it was because the stamp of the defendant firm appeared on the back of the document, and that was the only ground on which it could be a promissory note, Counsel declared.

Mr. McNeill said bills of exchange and promissory notes were in very special categories under the Stamp Ordinance. He submitted the document before the Court was void and could not be used on since the action was based on the allegation that the document was a bill of exchange or a promissory note.

In reply, Mr. Bernacchi said that he understood that Mr. McNeill was contending that the action should be proceeded with because of a matter of form in that the document was not a bill of exchange or a promissory note.

## Junk Master Is Awarded \$3,000 Damages

Damages assessed at \$3,000 were awarded a junk master by Mr. Justice Rogers at the Supreme Court this morning.

The junk master, Li Ting-chong, of 9, Wu Nam Street, Aberdeen, brought a claim for damages against Lo Yiu-ming, of 40, Hau Wo Street, driver of lorry No. 5028, for injuries caused by negligent driving.

The plaintiff, who is now using crutches, was also awarded costs of the action.

Mr. Peter Mo, of Wilkinson and Grist, appeared for the plaintiff and Lo conducted his own case.

The accident occurred in Island Road near the Fish Syndicate, Aberdeen, on the morning of December 22 last when the plaintiff was talking to another man on the footpath and he was struck from behind. Both men were facing the sea with their hands resting on a small wall.

Medical evidence was that the injuries sustained were serious, causing permanent slight deformity. The injuries would also prevent the plaintiff from returning to his work as a fisherman. He was still suffering pain.

## Radio Hongkong

R.K.T. Programme Summary: 6.02 Children's Half Hour—Children of Other Lands; 6.15—Everyday Life in America; 6.30—Companion by Radio given by Miss Lee Wai-lan and S. K. Lee (Studio); 6.45—Newspaper News; 7.00—Musical Memories; 7.15—The Playhouse; 7.30—Musical Memories; 7.45—The Playhouse; 8.00—Musical Memories; 8.15—The Playhouse; 8.30—Musical Memories; 8.45—The Playhouse; 9.00—Musical Memories; 9.15—The Playhouse; 9.30—Musical Memories; 9.45—The Playhouse; 10.00—Musical Memories; 10.15—The Playhouse; 10.30—Musical Memories; 10.45—The Playhouse; 11.00—Musical Memories; 11.15—The Playhouse; 11.30—Musical Memories; 11.45—The Playhouse; 12.00—Musical Memories; 12.15—The Playhouse; 12.30—Musical Memories; 12.45—The Playhouse; 1.00—Musical Memories; 1.15—The Playhouse; 1.30—Musical Memories; 1.45—The Playhouse; 2.00—Musical Memories; 2.15—The Playhouse; 2.30—Musical Memories; 2.45—The Playhouse; 3.00—Musical Memories; 3.15—The Playhouse; 3.30—Musical Memories; 3.45—The Playhouse; 4.00—Musical Memories; 4.15—The Playhouse; 4.30—Musical Memories; 4.45—The Playhouse; 5.00—Musical Memories; 5.15—The Playhouse; 5.30—Musical Memories; 5.45—The Playhouse; 6.00—Musical Memories; 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